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THE LABOR DAY PARADE

FEDERATION OF LABOR WILL BE REPRESENTED ON SEPTEMBER 2.

A MEETING WAS HELD LAST NIGHT

Members of Several Standing Committees Are Appointed—Miss. Leading Statement in Regard to Wages.

At the meeting of the Sedalia Federation of Labor, held Wednesday night, it was unanimously decided to be represented as a body in the Labor Day parade. Heretofore no representation of the central body was made in the formation, the delegates of the federation taking position with their respective organizations.

Every effort is being put forth by the general Labor day committee to make this year's celebration an eventful one in the history of the labor movement in Sedalia.

The Labor day program has been completed, and only a few minor details of the celebration still remain to be looked after by the committee. The committee appointed at the last meeting to name the members of the several standing committees reported as follows:

Organizing committee—E. T. Behrens, F. H. Kruse, H. H. Templeton, Ida Jolly, H. C. Finch.

Board of arbitration—Cyrus Knox, F. J. Hecht, W. J. Musick, C. D. Prentice, P. E. Sweeney.

Legislative committee—S. G. Whipple, Albia Parks, M. J. Donohue. Label committee—P. S. Jameson, S. S. MacEwen, F. J. Holdner, J. G. Heidingsfelder, Wm. Frazier.

A circular letter from the Central Labor Council of Los Angeles, Cal., was read, which strongly refuted the statements sent out by the employing interests of the Pacific Coast as represented by the Merchants' and Manufacturers' association, the Citizens' Alliance, the Chamber of Commerce and the Master Builders' association.

"These interests," the circular states, "are flooding the eastern and central portions of the United States, and even European countries, with literature that is grossly misleading in the matter of wages paid mechanics in Los Angeles and vicinity. The purpose of these associations of employers is to pack the city with mechanics at a ratio of three men to every job, thereby forcing down wages to the lowest possible point."

The circular also contains a comparative statement of the wages actually paid mechanics and laborers in Los Angeles and the wages claimed to be paid in the published statements sent out by the employing interests.

The actual wages paid in every instance are from fifty to one hundred per cent less than those claimed by the employers. The wages for all classes of labor is considerable less than in the eastern and central cities, and the cost of living almost double.

WHO HE AN OFFICER?

Man Who Went to the Katy Shops to Make An Arrest.

A stranger called at the M. K. & T. shops at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon and asked permission to go through the plant, to ascertain if he could identify a man working there who was said to be wanted at Clinton for some crime, the nature of which was not stated.

The person referred to said he was an officer, but he was rather non-committal as to himself or his mission, so he was asked to return at 5:50 o'clock and scan the employees when they left the shops at the conclusion of their day's work. So far as known, the stranger failed to return.

Local officials know nothing in regard to the case; and Editor Whitaker, of the Clinton Evening Democrat, when called up on the phone this morning, said he was satisfied no officer from Clinton was in Sedalia yesterday.

Left a \$15 Livery Bill.

The authorities are endeavoring to locate three men, who have been residing in this city, but recently disappeared, who are charged with beating a local liveryman out of a \$15 livery bill.

Sedalian in Denver.

John W. Menefee writes from Denver, Colo., to a Sedalia friend as follows: "George Bichsel is here, and is having a good time. I understand Lawyer C. I. Wilson is also here, but I have not seen him. The weather is fine. Wore my overcoat yesterday. This leaves my wife and myself well. Tell 'Doc' McClure that every Missourian here is for Dave Ball for governor."

Sent to Jail for Thirty Days.

Mike Gahn, a stranger, while under the influence of liquor, stole a \$4.50 roll of goods from the Guenther dry goods store and was arrested last night. He was given thirty days in jail for the offense by Judge Greenham today.

SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

PROF. WHITE, OF WARRENSBURG, TO SUCCEED PROFESSOR DEPPE.

FOUR NEW TEACHERS ARE ELECTED

Additional School Rooms Are Leased for a Period of Five Years—There Are 115 Children Eligible as Pupils.

The Sedalia school board met last night and elected J. H. White, principal of the public schools at Warrensburg, professor of biology in the High school, succeeding Prof. C. A. Deppe, resigned to accept the superintendency of the public schools at Doniphan, Mo.

Misses Ida Lennartz, Ada Lee Griffith, Florence Rowe and Anna Greer were elected to positions as teachers in the schools.

The board adopted the same text books for the High school as were in use last year, but the text books for the graded schools will be the list submitted by the county text book commission.

The board also signed a contract whereby it secured a five-year lease on two separate school rooms, which are now being erected by the Porter Real Estate company in the block adjoining on the east the school district block at Broadway and New York avenue.

The rooms are separate from each other, and have dimensions of 24x32 feet.

Recently an enumeration of the school children in that locality was taken, and it was found that there were 115 children who are eligible to attend school there.

One of the stipulations of the contract is that should the school board deem it advisable to add more room to the present school in that neighborhood that the board would be permitted to release itself from the contract.

WHO THREW THE CAT

Into the Automobile of Will H. Cloney Last Night?

While riding along at Fifteenth and Kentucky streets, about 8:30 o'clock last night, some member of a gang of boys there assembled threw a live cat into the automobile of Will H. Cloney, in which, besides himself, were Mrs. Cloney, their son, "Tom," and W. H. Powell.

The cat alighted in the lap of Mrs. Cloney, giving her a bad fright, but fortunately she was not injured.

Mr. Cloney authorizes the Democrat-Sentinel to say that he will pay a reward of \$10 for the arrest and conviction of the miscreant who harried the feline into the machine.

AN OFFICER WAS CALLED

To Quiet a Patient at the M. K. & T. Hospital.

Police Officer W. F. Farmer was called to the Katy hospital last night to quiet one of the patients, who was preparing to assume the role of chief surgeon.

The man, who has been at the hospital for some time, became obstreperous and wanted to "run" things. When the officer arrived the patient threatened to injure him, but was shown a club and soon became soothed.

AN EX-SEDALIA REPORTER

HE WAS NOT PERMITTED TO GO ON IRON MOUNTAIN INSPECTION TRIP.

AN EXPLANATION WAS NOT GIVEN

Railroad Commissioners Extended An Invitation to the Kansas City Post, But Road Officials Said "Nay, Pauline."

The Kansas City Post of Wednesday afternoon printed, locally, the following, the Mr. W. E. Williams referred to being well known in Sedalia, as he was for several months a reporter of the Sentinel prior to its consolidation with the Democrat:

The public is more or less familiar with the differences that have arisen among the members of the Missouri railroad and warehouse commission concerning the inspection of the tracks of the Missouri Pacific railroad. The condition of these tracks is of paramount importance to the public. Nearly every one travels more or less, and the public has a right to demand of the railroads that their tracks be in splendid condition and that they do everything for the safety and securing of the passengers.

Appreciating the importance of the work of the railroad board, the Post requested the railroad and warehouse commissioners to permit a staff writer of the Post, Mr. W. E. Williams, to accompany them upon their tour of inspection of the Missouri railroads. The consent of Commissioners Knott and Oglesby was obtained, indeed they appeared to be, and sincerely were, gratified at the opportunity thus given to the public to read an accurate account of the conditions that prevail. The Post then applied to Hon. Martin L. Clardy, attorney for the Missouri Pacific railroads, to grant its staff writer, Mr. Williams, the privilege of purchasing a ticket and paying his expenses upon the inspection train, which was to leave St. Louis over the Iron Mountain railroad at 7:30 this morning. Mr. Clardy stated that the train was in control of the railroad commission. Mr. Williams went to St. Louis last night and this morning offered to purchase a ticket upon this inspection train, and asked the privilege of going over the road with the railroad commission. A representative of the Missouri Pacific, which road owns the Iron Mountain, positively refused, without giving any reason, to permit a newspaper man to enter the train.

Mr. Williams, for the Post, asked the reason why. The readers of the Post would like to know the reason why. They will know the reason why. The Post is not that kind of a newspaper that will not ascertain the reason why, and without varnish, without equivocation, exaggeration or prejudice tell the reason why.

The railroads can keep its representative off the special train that bears the Missouri railroad and warehouse commission, but it cannot prevent the Kansas City Post from taking a square look at its tracks, either on foot, or otherwise, and tell the people who elect members of the legislature what is necessary to do in relation to the railroad tracks of Missouri. The Post does not accept the refusal as absolute evidence, or even prima facie evidence, that the Iron Mountain tracks are in bad condition. It hopes they are not. It will not state that they are until it has investigated through competent agencies of its own and found out that they are in bad condition.

But this is certain, that the Post will find out if there is anything the matter with the railroad tracks of Missouri and tell its readers just exactly what is the matter—no more and no less.

The Post also printed the following St. Louis dispatch:

J. W. Dean, division superintendent for the Iron Mountain, this morning courteously but firmly declined to allow any newspaper man to accompany the railroad and warehouse commissioners in their inspection of the Iron Mountain tracks. The representative of the Post was the only one to apply. Mr. Dean, evidently acting under orders from headquarters, said at once that no newspaper man would be allowed to accompany the commission. Commissioners Knott and Oglesby expressed a desire that the Post representative be allowed to make the trip, but the superintendent still refused. Superintendent Dean was informed

by The Post representative that The Post desired only to print the facts concerning the track conditions, and The Post desired to meet all expenses incurred by reason of its representative's presence with the party. The request to be allowed to accompany the party was still refused. No explanation was offered for refusing to allow newspaper men to make the trip.

"If we allow you to go," said Mr. Dean, in reply to a question from the correspondent of The Post, "we will have to allow others to go. I thought you were a representative of a St. Louis newspaper when you first applied to me. We will play no favorites and allow no newspaper to go."

Truly the Iron Mountain will play no favorites among newspapers. The

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WILL EXPOSE GRAFTERS

PENNSYLVANIA OFFICIAL WHO IS IMPLICATED PROMISES TO TELL ALL.

RESULT OF RECENT INVESTIGATION

Men "Higher Up" Are Alleged to Have Manipulated the Stealing of Millions From the Capital Funds.

Johnstown, Pa., Aug. 22.—James M. Shumaker, former superintendent of public buildings and grounds at Harrisburg, who has been implicated by reports of the capitol investigation commission, has declared he will make a full confession of all he knows in connection with the capitol building scandal.

He claims that the manipulation of the state funds was engineered by high officials of the state at Harrisburg for the purpose of covering up a shortage in the state's treasury.

"I have committed no wrong," declared he, "and I want to set myself right before people, for, so help me God, I am innocent. I will go after the men that are being protected and show up who got the money."

THE OPERATORS' STRIKE

What Manager Gibbons Received From Supt. Cook.

Manager Frank E. Gibbons, of the Western Union telegraph office, today received the following self-explanatory communication:

New York, Aug. 21, 1907. T. F. Cook, Gen. Supt., Chicago. The operators' strike for a closed shop, that is to say, refusing to work with non-union employees, was beaten from the very start, and our traffic is being handled in good shape.

Of the entire force of the company at all offices, large and small, not more than 25 per cent struck.

On behalf of the company, I desire to thank the officers for the ability and judgment displayed, especially to thank the employees of both sexes for their loyalty and honesty in standing firm in their positions. This action is fully appreciated and will not be forgotten.—R. C. Clowry, President.

NO MONEY IN BANK

To Meet a Check That Was Given to Mr. John Kaiser.

J. S. Williams, a cripple from Carrollton, Mo., who has been in the city buying and selling typewriters and also selling books, gave John Kaiser, proprietor of the Kaiser hotel, a check for \$7.50 for board last week, which check later proved of no value.

The check was drawn on an Excelsior Springs bank, but on being presented the bank officials stated that Williams had no funds in the institution.

Williams left here last week for Boonville and Marshall, and said he would return here next Tuesday, but perhaps he will change his mind.

Was Operated Upon at Maywood.

Dr. N. A. Schwald returned home to Cole Camp this afternoon, after accompanying here Rev. G. W. Qualls, a Methodist minister, residing near Cole Camp, who was operated upon for an abscess by Drs. Shirk & Cole at Maywood hospital at 8 o'clock this morning. The patient is resting easily this afternoon.

WELLER HAS DONE WELL

FORMER SEDALIAN STRUCK IT RICH IN A MINE IN COLORADO.

ONE OF THE LARGEST IN THE STATE

It is the "Champion," and Consists of 150 Acres—Present Owners Have Had It for the Past Two Years.

S. P. Weller, former master mechanic for the Missouri Pacific at this point, has struck it rich in Colorado, judging from the following from the Denver Republican of Tuesday, August 20, a marked copy of which was sent the Democrat-Sentinel by John W. Menefee, who writes:

"I send you one of the Denver papers, telling of the big mine that our old friend, S. P. Weller, is president of. I have talked with some of the best mining men in Denver, and they say he has one of the best properties in the state." Here is the Republican article:

It is becoming evident that one of the biggest mines being developed in Colorado is at Rollinsville, on the Moffat road. It is the Champion. S. P. Weller, president of the Champion Mining and Milling company, which is operating the property, makes the claim and yesterday was showing ore that seems to indicate that he is making the claim good. A big shipper at that point would mean a great deal to Denver and to the railroad. Fine specimens from the mine were placed on exhibition yesterday in the storeroom of the Marx Tailoring company on Champa street and also in the railroad company's office window on Seventeenth street.

The Champion claims consist of 150 acres, and came into possession of its present owners about two years ago, after the former owners had spent about \$110,000 in development. They have since put in \$50,000 more. No attempt has been made to ship and the owners are developing the property in a systematic manner, intending to make it a great mine.

The property is being worked from two shafts, 3,000 yards apart and at a depth of about 250 feet in one shaft and practically the same depth in the other they have a vein of four feet wide. It carries gold and copper and assays \$50 to \$100. One shaft is down 265 feet and 690 feet of the drift has been run in this. About the same amount of drift has been run in the second shaft. It is estimated that there are 40,000 tons of ore in sight now. The surface equipment is excellent, including an up-to-date McFarland mill.

The mine is two miles from the Moffat road, which company is naturally watching its development with much interest. S. P. Weller is the president of the company, but the stock is largely owned away from Colorado. Among those interested are L. C. Doolittle, L. N. Brown, of Kansas City; A. B. Seeley, of Abilene, Kas., and C. D. Mallette, of Iowa. Junction City and Newton, Kas., people are also heavily interested. A contract has recently been let by the owners for 500 feet of sinking on each shaft.

JOHN LARKIN'S RELATIVES

Are Sought By the Authorities at Pilot Grove.

City Attorney Mark McGruder received a long distance telephone call from the authorities at Pilot Grove this morning, asking his assistance in locating the relatives of John Larkin, thought to have been a Katy employee, who was killed by a Katy train this side of Pilot Grove last Saturday morning.

On Larkin's person was found an identification check, showing that he had worked thirty days for the M. K. & T.

Two Cabinet Members Confer.

Lexington, Ky., Aug. 22.—Secretaries Taft and Garfield held a conference today at the Elmdorf stock farm, near here, where Mr. Taft is a guest. No statement was obtainable as to the matters discussed.

Ritchie Tent Social Session.

The regular meeting of the Ritchie tent of the Maccabees was held last night, after which a social session was held.

Can't Hear Himself Think.

H. H. Rodman, the meat market man, says he has to suspend telephone communication with his customers whenever the old flat-wheel car on the Forest park line gets within a block of his place of business.

Other residents of Ohio street are disgusted, but will likely rise up and call Manager Hammer blessed if he will retire the car until it can be run without being pronounced a first-class nuisance.

Took in Carnival Today.

R. C. Dolph, Lawrence Laupheimer and Hiram Steach went to Boonville this forenoon to see the carnival given by LeBurno & Co., which company furnishes the attractions for the I. O. R. M. carnival here next week.

CAN MAIL A TELEGRAM

UNION GETS NO CONSOLATION FROM DISTRICT ATTORNEY IN NEW YORK.

'TIS A BACKSET FOR THE STRIKERS

Efforts to Get Companies Into Federal Court Fail—There Is No United States Law to Warrant Prosecution.

Buffalo, Aug. 22.—It is not illegal to send telegrams through the mail. This statement was made yesterday by United States Attorney Lyman M. Bass.

Efforts were made by the striking telegraphers to bring the management of the Western Union and Postal Telegraph companies into court for receiving messages at the regular telegraph rates and sending them by mail.

Mr. Bass says that there is no federal law to cover the cases, therefore no prosecution could be brought in the federal courts.

A WARRANT FOR FREEBURN

Defendant Formerly Conducted a Saloon in Sedalia.

Dyson Freeburn, who formerly conducted a saloon here, but for several years past engaged in a similar business at Leavenworth, Kas., was one of eight joint keepers for whom warrants were sworn out Wednesday. In addition to securing warrants, injunctions were granted against the buildings.

On receiving the warrants the sheriff started out to serve them, and he seized liquor in a number of places. The liquor is to be used as evidence. The joint keepers are not taking the proceedings very seriously. No attention was paid in the outlying districts to the presence of the assistant attorney general.

A. J. Sheridan, of Kansas City, West Side, who secured most of the evidence for the warrants, is in the city jail at Leavenworth. He was arrested Tuesday night on a city warrant charging him with canvassing without a license.

Sheridan, it is charged, was going around trying to sell a patent water cooler to joint keepers. His case was continued in police court Wednesday and his bond fixed at \$100, which he was unable to furnish.

SALE FOOTED UP \$1,200

A Little Question of Veracity is Quickly Settled.

The Dr. Sutton sale north of the city limits Wednesday amounted to \$1,200, as taken from the books.

Dr. Sutton says he sold fourteen brood sows, six sows with pigs and a large bunch of stock hogs, and, taken all together, he considers the lot brought nearer 10 cents per pound than 8 cents, as stated in the Democrat-Sentinel last night, and despite the statements of the Capital this morning, that "nothing like 8 cents for hogs was realized."

Burial of Miss Blythe.

Miss Christine Blythe, who died at her home six miles east of Hughesville early yesterday morning, of Bright's disease, after an illness of three months, was buried late last afternoon at Bethlehem church, in Saline county. Miss Blythe was 60 years of age.

KILLED HIS GIRL WIFE

NEW YORK SUICIDE THEN ENDS ROMANCE OF TWO CONTINENTS.

HE FOUND HER AFTER FIVE YEARS

Bride of Two Months Is Slain by Man Who Traveled 15,000 Miles—Pleads for Forgiveness and Shoots Himself.

New York, Aug. 22.—After a search on two continents which lasted five years and covered 15,000 miles, Julius Teich found the girl he loved and persuaded her to marry him. Then he killed her in a fit of anger after two months of wedded life and took his own life.

Shots aroused the occupants of the apartment house in West One Hundred and Twenty-Sixth street where Teich and his bride lived yesterday, and when the police broke into the flat they found both Teich and his wife unconscious. Both died within a few minutes.

Emily Herter lived in Germany with her parents when she first met Teich, who was a silk weaver. Teich fell in love with the girl and wanted her to marry him. But he was possessed of a violent temper and Emily feared him. Her parents also objected to the marriage. But Teich was insistent, so the girl left Germany secretly and came to America.

For two years Teich searched Germany for her, but failed to find her. Then her parents admitted to him that she was in America, but refused to tell him where. The young man came to America and renewed his search. He hunted New York for months, but failed to find her. Then he went to Minneapolis, St. Louis, Philadelphia and Scranton, where he believed the girl had friends, but without result.

He returned to New York a few months ago and accidentally met Emily on the street. She was living with an aunt, and in spite of her aunt's objections Emily finally consented to wed the man who had been so faithful in his search for her. They were married two months ago.

AN OLD-TIMER IS HERE

Worked as a Printer in Sedalia From 1871 Until 1880.

George E. Riggins, who was employed on the old Sedalia Democrat from 1871 until 1880, but now of Tacoma, Wash., arrived in the city yesterday afternoon for a visit of two or three days with the family of his aunt, Mrs. Joseph R. Yeater, 116 West Fourth street.

Mr. Riggins was a delegate from Tacoma union No. 170, "the oldest 4-hour union," to the International Typographical Union convention at Hot Springs, Ark., and is now on his way home.

Mr. Riggins finds that changes without number have occurred in his twenty-seven years' absence from Sedalia, but he recognizes many of the old landmarks, and will no doubt enjoy his visit to the fullest.

At Hot Springs Mr. Riggins met Hardin Montgomery, another old-time Sedalia printer, who is now engaged in the job printing business at Poplar Bluff, Mo., and who was a delegate from the union there to the International convention.

In Honor of Miss Broadbuss.

A number of young ladies were very charmingly entertained at the home of Misses Mary and Bessie Bowers yesterday afternoon, in honor of Miss Irene Broadbuss, of Buaceton, who is their guest.

There were three tables utilized in playing "fan-tan," and the prize, a picture, was awarded to Miss Edna Burrows, while the guest was presented with a pair of blue silk hose. Refreshments of cherry, nut sundae and cake were served.

Bought the Sutton Farm.

Robert A. Stanley has purchased the Dr. F. L. Sutton farm of 200 acres, one mile north of the city limits, for \$15,000, or \$75 an acre.

Mr. Coats Is Better.

J. J. Coats, who has been bedfast for some time with dysentery, is reported to be getting along satisfactorily.

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MEXICO'S CENTENNIAL PLANS.

Preparations are already well under way for the celebration throughout Mexico of the centennial of national independence, which falls on Sept. 16, 1910. It is an occasion in which the United States may take a warm interest, if not active participation. The subject will doubtless be talked over by President Diaz and Secretary Root when they meet shortly at Chapultepec.

It is not the intention of Mexico to celebrate its anniversary with a great exposition or world's fair, and the decision is a sensible one. The observance, while of a festive and patriotic nature, will be on practical lines. The main feature will be the simultaneous starting of public improvements, which will be of general and lasting benefit, in 900 cities and towns of the republic. It is estimated that the average cost of these municipal enterprises will be \$100,000, and the total amount which will be spent on the various projects before completion will approximate \$100,000,000.

The municipal authorities are expected to be prepared to begin on the said date water works, drainage systems, market houses, public buildings or whatever public improvements may be needed. Three years' time is given to raise the money to start these enterprises. This plan was suggested by President Diaz and the national committee has adopted it as a feature of the celebration.

The federal government will mark the event by beginning important public works in the capital, and sub-communities have been selected in all the states and towns to encourage local improvements.

The main plan is to inaugurate a new era of progress in Mexico with the centennial year. It is an idea eminently worthy of the great man who has so long guided the destinies of the republic and under whose rule it has so greatly prospered.

FLUTTER OF A HIT BIRD.

Mr. Rockefeller is predicting dire consequences to the business of the country as a result of the administration's attitude toward the corporations. The New York World prints an interview with him at Cleveland, in which he talks at length in this strain:

"The policy of the present administration toward great business combinations has only one result. It means disaster to the country, financial depression and financial chaos. The world already has a fair dose of this since the extreme penalty imposed on one corporation with a limited number of shareholders, has caused a loss of confidence, reflected in a falling stock market, a tightening of money and a fear of the future. What will be the effect when similar action is taken against corporations with myriad of stockholders scattered

ed throughout the country, the investors, the widows, the orphans? There can be but one answer. The present situation will be intensified many fold. I will go further and say today that because of the administration with its reports every five minutes of new actions and new fines the country is already beginning to drift towards the rocks of financial depression. Confidence is gone, and confidence is the basis of all prosperity. With confidence established there can be no stopping of the wheels of progress. Without it all is at a standstill."

It is a hit bird which is fluttering here and due allowance is to be made on this account. Mr. Rockefeller seems to think that the business prosperity and welfare of the country are bound up in his own particular 45 per cent, \$400,000,000 prosperity. That is natural, but it should not impress anybody as remotely representative of the truth.

A MATTER OF PRONUNCIATION.

How do you pronounce "Illinois?" Do you pronounce the poetical Indian word as "Illinoi," "Illinoise," or "Illinowah?" This is the question that is agitating some of the newspapers of that state and the discussion is waxing so warm and so furious that unquestionably the matter will be submitted to Springfield for legislative arbitration. Even the good people of the state are divided among themselves.

In the southern section of the commonwealth the natives are unanimous for "Illinoise." In the central and northern sections the inhabitants insist upon "Illinoi." In certain parts of Chicago, notably Prairie avenue and the Lake Shore Drive, the good people, who, a generation ago, discussed nothing more literary than the respective merits of various brands of ham and bacon, refer to their state as "Illinowah."

We do not believe that these conflicting factions will ever be reconciled on this question of pronunciation, and no decree of legislature will do any good, for the people will insist upon exercising their individual rights in the matter. Consequently, the advocates of "oi" will continue to combat the adherents of "oise" and the two factions will combine to ridicule the "cultured" exponents of "Illinowah."

Dictionaries, atlases, gazetteers and encyclopaedias are of little value in disputes of this kind. Authorities are derived by the people, and every man pronounces the name of his state in the manner that he pronounced it as a child. This being so, the chances are that it will never be settled to the satisfaction of every one living within the environs of Illinois.

In addition to the biggest bass, the strongest onions, and the most luscious strawberries, Texas can now boast of having had the highest temperature this year, but she will probably be glad to have us forget it.

Universal sanity is the need of the hour, declares former Secretary of the Treasury Leslie M. Shaw. In view of the approach of the second Thaw trial, this advice is indeed timely.

Ohio farmers are offering beer in addition to wages to their farm hands, and once more Kansas realizes what a handicap she is under when it comes to harvesting her crops.

The manufacturers are in favor of lowering the tariff duties on raw material, and raising them on manufactured products. They would "get" the farmer a-coming and a-going.

Tammany Hall has started a boom for the democratic nomination for president. For fear of injuring his chances he refrains from mentioning the name of the candidate.

St. Louis has the largest lightning rod factory in the world. We suppose the demand has increased on account of the number of candidates for the presidential nomination.

Venezuela has been invaded. Now if Castro can only be captured and sent to Barnum & Bailey, caged, the financial success of the venture will be assured.

Pittsburg is also asking for pure water. With this and pure air it may aspire to a pure citizenship in another generation or two.

It may be a week or two before Mr. Foraker is able to realize whether Taft sat down on him or merely stepped on his toes.

Cortelyou has the gift of silence. He also has the grace of resignation when it comes to accepting the next higher job.

Since he came within 765 votes of the senatorship, Vardaman thinks they ought to give him the job anyhow.

\$250,000 ROBBERY CLUE

GEORGE BELL, OLD OFFENDER,
SUSPECTED OF STEALING
MAIL POUCHES.

THINK THE MONEY WAS REMAILED

Postoffice Department at Washington Blames Two Clerks, Who Were Both Asleep at the Same Time.

Omaha, Neb., Aug. 22.—George Bell, who three years ago was the principal figure in a sensational escape from two postoffice inspectors who were taking him to Philadelphia for the alleged robbery of a registered mail pouch at Denver, is the man to whom twenty-five postoffice inspectors and secret service men are directing their attention in the belief that he is the author of the latest registered mail robbery between Denver and Omaha. Additional advices received confirm the report that the two pouches contained an amount as large as \$250,000 consigned to banks in Chicago and Omaha.

Bell is credited with being the smoothest mail pouch robber who has ever come under the eye of the secret service. He was traced back to Omaha after his escape in Philadelphia and his wife, who lived here for some time, was shadowed by the police for two months. She finally slipped out of town and has not been seen since.

Bell was being taken to Philadelphia for the Denver trick when he made his escape. Entering the Philadelphia yards he went to the toilet room and jumped from the window as the train was slowing down. One of the inspectors was discharged. Bell was traced to Seattle, where he was recaptured, but again escaped.

The inspectors at work on the case are acting with the Chicago police on a theory that the stolen money was mailed to confederates in that city. A package wrapped in a newspaper tied with strong twine and larger than a shoe box is known to have been put into the mails a short distance east of Denver addressed to Chicago or Omaha.

Every bit of mail passing through the local office since Sunday has been given a critical inspection, and many packages opened, but nothing has been found to help the secret service men, many of whom were sent from Washington and are the best in the country.

No attempt is now being made to conceal the details of the big robbery and every available man is working on the case. Inspector Thompson, in charge of the case, expressed his belief that Bell did the job and expects to have him under arrest before many days pass.

A Washington dispatch of the 21st says:

"The postoffice department has received no official advices regarding the robbery of three registered mail pouches on the Burlington railroad between Denver and Oxford, Neb. It is stated at the department that if both postal clerks on the train were asleep at the time of the robbery that they were guilty of neglect, as one of them is required to be awake at all times."

By Proxy.

He was a man with a large round personality, and he stood at the head of a large line of impatient men, women and children who were waiting for a chance to pay their fares and get past the turnstile of the elevated railway at Madison and Wabash, says the Chicago Tribune.

He was searching leisurely in his pockets for the necessary nickel, and it wasn't in any of them. Finally he produced a five-dollar bill, which he slowly and methodically unfolded and passed over to the monopolist inside the ticket office. "Dom his basty hide!" fervently exclaimed a man with a strong Tipperary accent, half way down the line. "O, you mustn't talk that way!" said a sweet feminine voice directly behind him; "but thank you very much!"

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The railway mail clerk is the one servant of the government and the people who is practically always under fire. He is in the thick and thin of every wreck of a mail train and either emerges from the debris of splintered cars seriously injured or his body is taken from the wreck by plying hands. As a public servant who takes his life in his hand with his vocation he should receive a liberal salary from the government and the just appreciation of the public.

Luncheon Suggestions

Well cooked boiled ham; lunch tongue—2 tongues in a can—ready for slicing, per can, 25c; new rich, full Genuine Imported Swiss cream cheese; new Cheese, fresh imported Swiss cheese, the finest you ever tasted. All kinds canned meats. Those sardines in tomato sauce for 15c are fine. We are daily receiving the finest vegetables that come to town—sweet Extra Fine potatoes, celery, lettuce, selected tomatoes, lima beans, okra, sweet corn and the country gentleman variety of sweet corn, small ears and extra nice.

Granges, sweet and juicy, Bartlett eating pears, fine Missouri watermelon, Free-Stone ones, home-grown canteloupes, cooking apples, Arizona canteloupes, thin-skinned juicy lemons, ripe yellow bananas, etc.

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MAN IS SAWED IN TWO

Wife Saw Her Husband's Body Lifted From Machinery.

Houston, Texas, Aug. 22.—W. C. McLaughlin, proprietor of a wood yard, while working at a saw was caught in the machinery, thrown on the saw and literally cut into two pieces. Three men witnessed the accident, and one of them, a negro, became so frightened that he ran away and has not been seen since.

McLaughlin was in the act of placing a stick of wood on the table in front of the saw when in some way the table slipped and he fell forward. As he did so he was caught in the teeth of the saw, which was running at a terrific speed. He was struck first on the right shoulder, close to the neck, and the operation of the saw caused his body to bound when he fell against the saw the second time. He was then caught on the left shoulder and drawn across the table until the saw had passed clear through his body, dividing his left lung and stopping after the third rib had been severed.

Mrs. McLaughlin, at her home near by, heard the commotion and rushed to the woodyard just in time to see her husband lifted from the table after the machinery had been stopped.

Watch the Clock

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Valuable Conch Shell.

There are evidently a number of mysterious properties about the conch shell in its relation to Indian religious rites and ceremonies that require investigation. For instance, a conch with its spirals twisting to the right instead of to the left is supposed to be worth its weight in gold. Some years ago a conch of that description was offered for sale in Calcutta with a reserve price of a lakh of rupees placed on it. It was eventually bought in for \$20,000.

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'DUMMY' TAYLOR 'TALKS'

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'PUG' BENNETT ONCE HIS CATCHER

The "Dummy" Twirler Is a Printer by Trade—Said That He and Bennett Once Held Forth in Nevada, Mo.

"Dummy" Taylor, one of Johnny McGraw's veteran twirlers, says when he is compelled to retire from big league company he will quit playing ball, says the St. Louis Times. "No minors in mine," said the "Dummy" while "conversing" with a friend who knows the finger language when in St. Louis a fortnight ago.

Taylor is a frugal chap and has been drawing a top notch salary for six years. He owns a farm in Kansas and is proprietor, with his brother, in a grocery store near Baldwin. When he quits the diamond he will have enough to keep the wolf away.

"Dummy" is a printer by trade. He spent his spare moments during the two years that he helped pitch the Mattoon, Ill., old Three-Eye league team into two pennants setting type for the Mattoon Star. From the time he graduated from the Deaf and Dumb Institute at Olathe, Kas., Taylor always laid by a part of his salary for old age.

There is a pretty romance connected with his marriage. "Pug" Bennett of the Cardinals and Taylor were mates on the Nevada, Mo., and Mattoon, Ill., teams. Bennett was his catcher. When their lots took them to other scenes they retained their friendship. "Pug" married the daughter of Dr. Holt, president of Oak Ridge institute at Oak Ridge, N. C., one of the oldest and best known colleges in the south. Dr. Holt is a member of the state board which controls the deaf and dumb institutions. A coach was needed in one of the institutions and Bennett recommended Taylor.

"Dummy" accepted the post. One of the mute teachers, a veritable Dresden shepherdess, caught the Giant pitcher's fancy from the start. In a few weeks it was a case of attraction on both sides. The "Dummy" was an ardent wooer, and at the end of the term the two were engaged. Their marriage is a very happy one.

Mrs. Taylor spends the summers in New York with her husband, and frequently accompanies him on his trips with the Giants. In addition to being rarely beautiful she is a highly accomplished woman.

Newland Items

Newland, Mo., August 21.
J. H. Newland and family left Monday for a two weeks' visit in Callaway county.

There will be preaching at Hopewell next Saturday and Sunday.

Some of our young people attended preaching at Gilead Sunday night.

Mrs. J. L. Cottrell, of Sapulpa, I. T., is visiting at D. C. Newland's.

Mrs. G. M. Payne has been on the sick list the past few days.

Misses Florence and May Kelsey have been spending a few days in Sedalia.

The farmers in this locality are all busy now plowing for wheat.

There will not be any children's day at Hopewell church the fourth Sunday, as they have concluded not to have the exercises.

There was an ice cream supper given Monday night at Mr. W. K. Greer's, in honor of their daughter, Miss Nellie Greer, it being her birthday anniversary. There was only a small crowd present, as it was raining that night.

Mr. Harvey was in this neighborhood Tuesday, buying calves.

"We never repent of eating too little," was one of the ten rules of life of Thomas Jefferson, president of the United States, and the rule applies to every one without exception during this hot weather because it is hard for food, even in small quantities, to be digested when the blood is at high temperature. At this season we should eat sparingly and properly. We should also help the stomach as much as possible by the use of a little Kodol for indigestion and Dyspepsia, which will rest the stomach by digesting the food itself. Sold by Arlington Pharmacy.

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TWO ROBBERS TO PRISON

Plead Guilty at Linn Creek—Accused Negro Freed.

Linn Creek, Mo., Aug. 21.—James Holloway and Luther Manuel pleaded guilty to the charges of highway robbery and each was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary by Judge Cox in the circuit court yesterday.

The robbery occurred near Richland several months ago. They accused J. W. Vincent, a negro, who was indicted, tried and acquitted in less than two hours.

Don't accept a cough remedy that you may be told is just as good as Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup, because it isn't just as good—there is quite a difference. Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts gently upon the bowels and clears the whole system of coughs and colds. It promptly relieves inflammation of the throat and allays irritation. Sold by Arlington Pharmacy.

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Social Postponed.

The social to have been given to night at the residence of Mrs. A. A. Ridenour under the auspices of the First Congregational church has been indefinitely postponed.

WHEN that boy of yours grows up he must be educated. Save one dollar a week now until he is old enough to go to college. That will provide for it.

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SEDALIA, MO., AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS MAY 29, 1907.	
RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and discounts.....\$893,412 82	Capital Stock.....\$100,000 00
Overdrafts.....4,706 74	Surplus and Profits.....115,404 57
Bank Building.....15,500 00	Circulation.....100,000 00
Real Estate.....1,450 00	Deposits.....1,763,380 32
U. S. Bonds and Premiums.....152,600 00	
5 Per Cent Redemption Fund.....5,000 00	
Cash and Sight Exchange.....236,115 33	
Total.....\$1,368,784 89	Total.....\$1,368,784 89
The above statement is correct. W. H. Powell, Cashier.	

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CRITICIZED BY THE UNION

New York's Central Body Asks McClellan to Explain.

New York, Aug. 22.—The dismissal of Frank Joyce as superintendent of parks has caused a stir in the ranks of organized labor, and the Central Federated Union has taken action, demanding that Mayor McClellan reinstate the deposed official.

The reason given for Joyce's dismissal was "good of the service," but the union men of the city believe that the real reason is that he refused to send men from his department to clean the streets of the city at the time of the strike of the garbage drivers.

The mayor has been asked by the central body to explain what he means by "good of the service." Joyce at one time was president of the Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, and is said still to hold membership in that order.

John Riha, a prominent dealer of Vining, la., says: "I have been selling LeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills for about a year and they give better satisfaction than any pill I ever sold. There are a dozen people here who have used them and they give perfect satisfaction in every case. I have used them myself with fine results." Sold by Arlington Pharmacy.

Will Give a Benefit.

A dance will be given at the Deibel hall next Monday night, the proceeds to be forwarded to Kansas City for the benefit of the striking telegraph operators.

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PELLOM AN EX-CONVICT

FELLOW WHO FILED HERPEL JOHNSTON AFFIDAVITS HAS A RECORD.

HAS SERVED A WORKHOUSE TERM

Notwithstanding Disclosure, University City Officials Will Push Case—Suspend Marshal Willman.

St. Louis, Mo., August 22.—James F. Coyle, acting mayor of University City, is authority for the statement that the proceedings filed in the Clayton county circuit court to oust Prosecuting Attorney Rowland L. Johnston and Sheriff George Herpel will be prosecuted with vigor, despite the fact that an attempt has been made to discredit the efforts of W. H. Pellom, a detective employed by the University City authorities to obtain evidence of law violations, and who made affidavits to the charges of alleged dereliction against the two St. Louis county officials.

Acting Mayor Coyle and other officials of University City, the little municipality organized and governed by E. G. Lewis, were greatly surprised yesterday when they learned that W. H. Pellom, the self-styled "detective" employed by them to secure evidence against Herpel and Johnston, had a police record under the name of W. H. Pelham.

In addition to his police record, Pellom is said to have been a professional strike breaker in various cities, and occupied rooms at the Planters' last spring while engaged in employing men for duty in other cities.

The police pictures of Pelham were last night identified by Deputy Marshal Geo. Ward, of University City, who stated that a picture of Pelham has been identified by Mark Gumperts, Harry Frazier, deputy sheriff at Creve Coeur Lake, and others. All declared Pelham and Pellom to be the same man.

John Lewis, brother of Mayor E. G. Lewis, legal adviser to the University City board of aldermen, said in an interview last night that "Gov. Folk was aware of Pellom's knowledge of lawless conditions in the vicinity of Delmar Garden, and also knew the affidavits to oust Johnston and Herpel would be filed; but the governor did not know that Pellom had been selected to sign the court documents."

The person who makes affidavit to charges of lawlessness, under the new derelict official law, must have personal knowledge of the violations. It is difficult to get a citizen to take this action, and, as Pellom had visited the places where the law is being flagrantly violated, he was asked to make the affidavits.

Acting Mayor Coyle last night instructed City Attorney Lewis to get in communication with Pellom Thursday morning, if possible, and notify him to suspend further operations until a meeting of the board of aldermen could be called. Mayor Lewis is expected to return to University City from the east Sunday, and the board meeting probably will be held Monday next.

City Attorney Lewis stated that he had been unable to locate Pellom since the rumor became current that the detective employed had been a strike breaker and had a record in the police courts. He further stated that the news of Pellom's alleged criminal record came as a complete surprise to the officials of University City, but that he had done good work in obtaining evidence against the violators of the law in the vicinity of Delmar Garden.

Mr. Coyle was quick to reply to the question whether the board of aldermen of University City had ordered the suspension of Marshal Willman. He said: "There was no meeting of the board of aldermen. There was not a quorum present. I acted on my own initiative and will bear the



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consequences. Marshal Willman is suspected and will be suspended until he is given a fair trial. In the event he is acquitted, we will be very glad to reinstate him.

"Willman denied in the presence of several witnesses that he had talked with Mark Gumperts after receiving orders to join in a raid on the Louisiana club last Sunday. We have evidence to the contrary."

IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

Don't Mistake the Cause of Your Troubles—A Sedalia Citizen Shows How to Cure Them. Cure Them.

Many persons never suspect their kidneys. If suffering from a lame, weak or aching back they think that it is only a muscular weakness; when urinary troubles set in they think it will soon correct itself. And so it is with all the other symptoms of kidney disorders. That is just where the danger lies. You must cure these troubles or they lead to diabetes or Bright's disease. The best remedy to use is Doan's Kidney Pills. It cures all ills which are caused by weak or diseased kidneys. Sedalia people testify to permanent cures.

L. H. Oswald, living north of the cemetery, Sedalia, Mo., says: "I can recommend Doan's Kidney Pills, for I know that they helped me. Whenever I caught cold or in damp weather my kidneys would get out of order, too frequent in action, and this disturbed my rest at night. I am a poor hand to take medicine, but as I read about Doan's Kidney Pills, curing others of similar troubles and that they could be procured at the W. E. Bard drug store, I got a box and began taking them, and you are welcome to use my name as one of the many people here in Sedalia who can vouch for the merits of your valuable medicine."

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TO CURB "LID" LIFTERS

Vernon County Prosecutor to Put Check on Kansans.

Nevada, Mo., Aug. 22.—Prosecuting Attorney Coil departed yesterday for Clayton, Vernon county, to investigate the alleged illegal sale of liquor at that place.

Complaint has been made to Mr. Coil and also the officers of Bourbon county, Kas., that persons from Fort Scott drive across the state line to Clayton and buy liquor on Sunday.

Clayton is but a short distance from the state line, and it is alleged the Missouri lid is lifted on Sunday.

Watch the Clock

On page 5 every day in August. Look for it now. Flower-Barnett Dry Goods Co.

Fate of a Prince Albert.

When Commander Peary went on his first trip in search of the pole he won the gratitude of an Esquimo by presenting him with an ancient Prince Albert coat and extensively creased sombrero. Years afterward, when again in the north, the explorer received a ceremonial visit from the native, and to his surprise, set eyes once more on the discarded vestments.

On the occasion of the commander's latest dash for the pole the aborigines took him aside and pointed to a rude museum. By its side stood the disused sledge. Its six dogs had been strangled to make an appropriate funeral. On the pile of stones lay what was left of the Prince Albert coat and the sombrero.

Free for catarrh, just to prove merit, a trial size box of Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Remedy. Let me send it now. It is a snow-white, creamy, healing, antiseptic balm. Containing such healing ingredients as Oil Eucalyptus, Thymol, Menthol, etc., it gives instant and lasting relief to catarrh of the nose and throat. Make the free test and see for yourself what this preparation can and will accomplish. Address Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. Large jars 50c. Sold by W. E. Bard Drug Co.

OPERATORS LEAVE CITY

TELEGRAPHERS QUIT ST. LOUIS TO ACCEPT RAILWAY POSITIONS.

THE MARRIED MEN ARE TO REMAIN

Western Union in the Mound City Said to Have a Force of 125 at Work Wednesday—The First Striker Returns to Work.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 22.—Officials of the Commercial Telegraphers' union of St. Louis are encouraging the young striking operators to take railroad jobs. It was stated at strike headquarters Wednesday that from twelve to twenty operators leave the city every day to take railroad positions at from \$55 to \$80 a month. The operators who are accepting these positions agree to retain them not less than ninety days.

St. Louis is the headquarters of the Order of Railway Telegraphers, and requests received here for operators for railroad work are referred to the officials of the Commercial Telegraphers' union. All the unmarried operators are urged to accept the railroad positions. The strike funds will be used, as far as possible, to provide for the women strikers and the men with families.

As the telegraph companies are taking on men every day, and say they will not discharge them, even in the event of a settlement, to make room for the union men, it is apparent to the strike leaders that it is policy to place as many of their men in positions as possible.

The telegraph companies are getting operators from all parts of the country. Many of their operators are strangers in St. Louis.

Chief Operator Bellman, of the Western Union, said that he had 125 good operators at work Wednesday, and by the end of the week would increase his force to 150. He said that most of the operators were taking advantage of strike conditions to work overtime and increase their earnings. Good operators, by working from 15 to 18 hours, are making from \$10 to \$20 a day during the strike.

As the companies are paying their living expenses, they can save nearly all their earnings.

Bellman stated that one striker returned to work Wednesday. This is said to be the first break in the union ranks in St. Louis.

The strikers are still gathering evidence that messages have been mailed for the purpose of prosecuting the telegraph companies. A request has been made to the public to send all telegrams received by mail to strike headquarters, 222 Merchants-Laclede building, to be used as evidence.

Notification of the first step that has been taken toward bringing the commercial telegraphers' strike to a close was received at the local headquarters of the C. T. U. A. yesterday afternoon in the shape of a letter from President S. J. Small, of the national organization, addressed to President Ewing, of the St. Louis local. The communication contains the announcement that the national officers in Chicago are making arrangements to form a committee composed of representatives of the locals in the larger cities, which will proceed to New York and hold a conference with the Postal and Western Union officials with a view to bringing the strike to an end.

Two delegates are to be appointed from St. Louis, one from among the Postal employees and another selected from the striking Western Union operators. From the tenor of President Small's letter the committee will be organized by the beginning of next week and negotiations with the telegraph companies will begin at once. The action of President Small is thought, by the local officials, to be the result of a recent conference held with Labor Commissioner Charles P. Neill.

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MILWAUKEE

Mora Items

Mora, Mo., August 21, 1907.

Mike Collins was a Sedalia visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fanell attended services at McKee's chapel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dump were at the Queen City Thursday.

H. Mahken and J. H. Taler were at Cole Camp Monday.

Miss Anna Schwensen and brother are visiting relatives at Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. M. Moss attended the mission feast at Bebra Sunday.

Miss Lydia Schwensen visited the past week with friends at Cole Camp.

Arthur Farrell returned Sunday from a two days' visit at Eldon, Miller county.

Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Lewis were Saturday visitors to the Queen City.

Mrs. Warren, of Sedalia, visited the past week with her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Farrell.

Miss Carrie Binder, of Sedalia, visited Sunday with her sister, Miss Josie.

Mrs. Jno. M. Moss was a visitor to Cole Camp Tuesday.

Miss Emma Dump is expected to arrive Saturday for a visit at the home of her uncle, Geo. Dump.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

List of letters remaining unclaimed in the Sedalia, Mo., post office, Aug. 21, 1907. When calling for any mail in this list, please state it was advertised:

W. G. Baird, John Bates, Miss Winnie Brown, Miss Collins, R. Cochran, Miss Rose Cohen, Miss Alice Davis, Harrison Downard, Miss A. D. Fisher, Mrs. Annie Fly, Harry Gaul, Mrs. W. A. Greene, Miss Sylvia Houx, Miss Lulu Inge, J. J. Johnson, Lela Johnston, T. E. Johnston, E. H. Lee, S. O. Losce, Peter Lerg, Mrs. Sarah Lindsey, P. J. Meany, Walter McLane, Dick Manes, Mrs. Mattie McGowan, Potlock & Timmons, E. I. Pool, Dr. Bay Phillips, W. A. Price, W. C. Reynolds, Sam W. Roberts, Perry Rowe, Miss Mary Ross, J. M. Sutherland, Mr. and Mrs. Charles N. Seip, E. E. Snow, Elis Simrell, Mrs. J. W. Smith, Floyd Wilson, Allen Woolery, Sam Woolery, Tom Frank Williams, James Wilson, C. R. White, C. A. Woods.

Cards—Miss Anna Conner, Dr. T. O. Care, Miss Wynn Coop, Mrs. May Cramer, George Edding, Miss Ada Frick, Harry Gaul, Miss Mamie Grier, Mrs. Sophia Huther, Mrs. Lucy Hopkins, Mrs. Mattie Huston, Miss Grace Hogan, E. F. Jones, Charles E. Knox, Miss Harriet Knowland, W. G. North, Mrs. M. S. Russell, Harry Stevens, Herschel E. Stille, Harry Wright, Mrs. Anna Wands.

Dead Letters—Mrs. Ellis Biggs, Lon

Celia, Bettie Green, Edna Hunter, Emma S. Kneec, Mollie Menefee, Mrs. Page, Earl Sherer, Meadis Walker. Packages—Herman H. Roads.

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Chicos have a long Havana filler, burn freely with a pleasant fragrance and are a mild and enjoyable smoke that pleases the most fastidious. It is only about once in a hundred times," Mr. Bard continued, "that we find a cigar equal to its manufacturer's claims, but in Chicos we found one even better, one that fully confirmed what Wadsworth Bros. asserted, a better cigar for less money."

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Different degrees of value in coal, though, as in everything else. We sell the best for the money. Guarantee quality and quantity, and our prices are always the lowest. Superior grade \$12.00. No dust; no dirt—nothing but coal. Gives the maximum of heat, cleanliness and economy. Prompt delivery. Satisfaction.

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That will be welcome news to all mothers with boys to clothe. Now with school only a month off to have our entire spring and summer boys' suit stocks to select from at whole prices is certainly an exceptional chance. The suits are plenty heavy enough for school wear all fall—only the prices are light—as follows:

All \$3.50 Suits now **2.50**
All \$4 and \$4.50 Suits now **3.00**
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All \$6 and \$6.50 Suits now **4.75**

Odd Knee Pants Also Reduced

50c Pants now **35c**
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St. Louis Co. Co.
Outfitters for Men and Women.

THE WEATHER.

Showers tonight with warmer north portion; Friday showers.

THE LODGES

K. of P. Notice.

Queen City lodge No. 52, Knights of Pythias, meets tonight in the Story building, at 8 o'clock, for regular order of business. Visiting Knights cordially invited to attend.

M. WEISBURGH, C. C.
W. L. BRUMMETT, K. of R. & S.

Notice.

Sedalia aerio of Eagles, No. 601, meets in regular session this, Thursday, evening in Eagles' lodge, 209 South Ohio street, at 7:30 o'clock. All visiting brothers cordially invited to attend. Parlor open all day Sunday.

J. M. BROWN, W. P.
I. C. REDMOND, Secy.

Supt. Buchanan's Condition.

Supt. G. V. Buchanan, who has been threatened with appendicitis, is reported this afternoon by his physician, Dr. Ira T. Bronson, as slightly improved. It is now thought an operation will not be necessary.

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ISSUES A DEFI TO COMER

THE GAUNTLET THROWN DOWN
BY ALABAMA GOVERNOR
IS TAKEN UP.

THE JURISTS ARE TO STAND FIRM

Federal Courts Told by Attorney
General They Will Be Backed
—One Jury Is So Instructed.

Montgomery, Ala., Aug. 22.—Governor Comer in a statement issued last night said he would give the railroad companies until October to comply with the recently enacted rate law, and if they do not obey it then he will call a special session of the legislature and urge the enactment of even more drastic laws than are now on the statutes.

Washington, Aug. 22.—Attorney General Bonaparte has picked up the gauntlet thrown down by Governor Comer of Alabama in the matter of the order issued by Judge Thomas G. Jones, of the federal court, for the northern and middle districts of Alabama at Montgomery, restraining solicitors and sheriffs of the state from interfering with the operation of the Louisville and Nashville railway.

Governor Comer and his advisers have insisted that the new state law established a uniform rate of fare for railroads in the state must be obeyed by the railroads in spite of the appeal that has been made to the federal courts.

Following the issuance of Judge Jones' restraining order United States District Attorney Parson telegraphed to Mr. Bonaparte regarding the situation which involved the possibility of an attempt on the part of the state to disregard the order of the federal court.

It is clear that it is the intention of the federal department of justice to insist upon the observance of all orders issued by the judges of federal courts, and respect for the service of process from those jurists. In many quarters the dispatch of Attorney General Bonaparte to District Attorney Parsons is regarded as an official hint to all federal judges that the strong arm of the federal government will be behind them in any order which they may issue.

It is stated that the department is not interested much in the character of the litigation or in the personality of the parties to the litigation as it is in knowing that the mandates of the federal courts shall be handed down with some assurance that they will be obeyed, and that if necessary all orders from federal courts requiring "executive" enforcement will be enforced without regard to "cost of consequences."

This was the attitude of the department of justice and of the administration at the time that the railroad situation involving the relationship of the state and federal governments was acute in North Carolina, as a result of Judge Pritchard's order against the Southern railway and Governor Glenn's attitude toward the action of that federal jurist.

The federal government was then prepared to enforce Judge Pritchard's orders without regard to cost and consequences, but the conferences which were held between Governor Glenn and the Southern railway officials during the visit of Assistant Attorney General Sanford in North Carolina resulted in the withdrawal of the Southern's insistence upon the observance of Judge Pritchard's orders in the face of Governor Glenn's vigorous attitude.

It is hinted here in certain quarters that the administration was chagrined rather than joyous over the so-called "surrender" of the Southern railway officials to Governor Glenn and that this feeling has been especially keen in certain administration circles through the developments following the North Carolina compromise, involving the presentation of almost identically similar situations in Virginia, Alabama and other states.

Court Instructs Jury.

Montgomery, Ala., Aug. 22.—In his charge to the United States grand jury yesterday afternoon, Judge Thomas G. Jones made it plain that he expected them to indict and crowd ahead for prosecution any state or county officer who interfered in any way with the orders of his court with regard to state railroad laws suspended and restrained by order of his court.

The incident grows out of the threat on the part of state solicitors and sheriffs to make arrests for violations of state laws that have been held up by order of the United States court, and indicates that the judge is ready for any sort of fight the state may see fit to put upon his court.

AMUSEMENTS

WOOD'S OPERA HOUSE

ONE NIGHT ONLY
Sunday Aug. 25
C. J. SMITH
Presents the Musical Mixture

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Illustrating the Famous Fatty Felix Newspaper Cartoons.
Specialties, Music, Singing and Dancing for That Tired Feeling.

Popular Prices—10, 20, 30, 50c
Seats on Sale.

Measuring Eye-Strings.
Physical skill, endurance and prowess—these were the things that commanded respect in the wild west. And what mills of violence and torture the old releses were! To mail and batter a victim till he was jelly, to leave a life-mark of victory upon the vanquished, and then to celebrate the Olympian event by getting gloriously drunk with your friends on new whiskey—this was fame and sport. It was a tame fight in which one of the contestants did not lose a part of his ear, or have his nose bitten off, but the acme of skill and power lay in plucking out your opponent's eye. Indeed, "eye-gouging," as it was called, was a road to glory, and the threat "I'll measure your eye-strings" was the highest taunt.—From "Simon Kenton, Scalp Hunter."

A Royal Painter.
To the somewhat lengthy list of royal personages who have cultivated more or less of skill in the arts must now be added the name of Prince Ernest of Saxe-Meininingen, second son of the reigning duke, whom the historians describe as a painter of fine talent. He is now engaged upon a canvas of large size, destined for the amphitheater of Jena university. The subject of the picture is the Prince-Elector John the Magnanimous, founder of the university. The painting will occupy the whole of one wall of the amphitheater in the new buildings of the university.—London Globe.

Profited by Error.
"When I opened the door," said the flat dweller, "my ice man stood there. He looked very meek and humble, to my surprise.
"I will fix that ice bill you thought was too exorbitant," he told me. 'Perhaps it was. I will cut it down.'
"He had gotten me mixed up with somebody else. I hadn't complained, but that didn't keep me from getting out the bill and letting him cut it down all right enough."

The Cow as a Machine.
As an illustration of the efficiency of a good cow, as a machine for the manufacture of milk and butter from grain, the record is given of a Holstein cow at the age of three years, which, during one year produced milk amounting to 18,573 pounds, or over nine tons of milk containing 620 pounds of butter. The net profit figured in maintaining such a cow is stated at about \$156 per annum.

A Paradox Explained.
Minerva was the goddess of wisdom and yet she fought about taking the beauty prize," sneered the young student.
"My son," mildly replied the old philosopher, "that merely proves she was wise to the ways of man."

MISS ROSA McAHAN, OF BUTTE.

How After Two Years She Found a Remedy for Dandruff.

Miss Rosa McAhah, of 211 West Quartz street, Butte, Mont., says: "Herpicide has thoroughly cleansed my scalp of dandruff, with which it was entirely covered; and it has stopped my falling hair. I have tried many different preparations in the past two years, but none took effect except Newbro's Herpicide." Dandruff is a germ disease and Herpicide is an infallible destroyer of the germ. "Destroy the cause, you remove the effect." Kill the dandruff germ. Ask your druggist for Herpicide. It is a delightful dressing; allays itching; makes the hair soft as silk. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. Two sizes, 50c and \$1.00. W. E. Bard Drug Co.

Kermit Will Hike.
Ottumwa Ia., Aug. 22.—Kermit Roosevelt yesterday joined the Thirtieth United States cavalry at Fairfield for a march overland from Fort Riley to Fort Sheridan.

NOTICE

To Farmers, Transfer Men and All Owners of Horses and Mules.

You can get good horse-shoeing, perfect satisfaction guaranteed, at
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SPLIT LOG FOR STREETS

Col. Van B. Wisker Tells of Its Great Possibilities in City.

To the Democrat-Sentinel.
Not long ago as a county taxpayer I considered it my duty to say something occasionally about the condition of our county roads, which something generally appeared in print. Many of your readers seemed to know me as the "good roads" man and quite often addressed me as such. Everyone appeared to realize that if Pettis county was to be kept in the line of progressive counties her residents and taxpayers should see to it that more attention was given to economical yet substantial road improvement than had been heretofore. Few, however, expressed their opinions through the press, where their words could be seen and heard by the many, and especially by those whose duty it was to attend to the improvement of our streets, alleys and county roads. It seemed to be left to the editors and a crank like myself to do the necessary kicking or knocking.

Within the past few weeks I have become once again a veritable citizen and taxpayer of Sedalia and am entitled therefore to every freeman's privilege, especially the privilege of granting when it is too dry and dusty, or too wet and muddy, and then laying the blame upon those fellows in office who ought to do their very utmost to see that the Queen City had streets and alleys that were royally kept, instead of having many that might be well utilized for hog wallows.

Of course if all our streets and alleys were paved with vitrified brick we should overcome this, but the ten-thousandths of our property owners would be bankrupted by this costly method of street improvement.

I believe, however, it is timely to suggest that a little experimental work be done within our city, where every citizen interested can realize whether such is a success or not. The "split log drag" has been found to improve county roads to such an extent that rock roads have hardly been considered necessary in these districts where they have been continuously used for some months. Our road officials have been supplied with an improved log drag, but it is seldom used. I wish again to ask why this cannot be systematically used upon our dirt streets or experimentally upon a few of them? One team and one driver, who should be instructed how to use the drag with best effect, could keep at least twenty of our unpaved streets as far out as Twentieth street in good order as that by winter time the surface of these streets thus worked would be "concreted" and would shed an ordinary rainfall about as well as a gravel roadway does.

I know it is to the interest of some contractors to talk up and urge vitrified brick streets. But is it not of more importance to the general public and property owners to have many of our streets maintained in good order at the least cost possible, than to have only one more avenue paved at a very high cost to the property owners? Who will take up my pen and speak out from the shoulder? I'm growing old and in a few days am going far away to the mountains to sit down and meditate or—something else.—Van B. Wisker.

Club Sandwiches.

Take equal parts of cooked chicken and hard-boiled eggs, chop and cook in enough thickened milk gravy to hold the mixture together, and season with salt, pepper and a touch of paprika. Cut slices of stale bread and season also. Place chicken mixture between two slices, between the next two a slice of fried bacon, or chopped ham if preferred, then another of chicken. Tie these sandwiches together with twine and fry quickly in hot deep fat till a light brown. Dry and remove twine. Serve hot.

Maple Confections.
Maple confections are most popular this year. Maple cream over ice cream, maple cream with whipped cream and with cake. A good maple cream may be prepared as follows: Take one-half a pound of maple sugar, one-half a pound of brown sugar, one-half a cup of water and half a teaspoon of cream of tartar. Boil these together until they form a soft ball when dripped into cold water. Pour out into a shallow platter and when nearly cold beat with a fork until thick and creamy.

Veal Cake.

A few slices of cold roast veal, a few slices of cold ham, two hard-boiled eggs, two tablespoonsful of minced parsley, a little pepper, some good gravy. Cut all the brown outside from the veal, and cut the eggs into slices. Procure a pretty mold and lay veal, ham, eggs and parsley in layers with a little pepper between each. When the mold is full get some good gravy or stock and fill up the shape. Bake for one-half hour, and when cold turn it out.

Albert T. Loewer, Tailor, 112 E 3rd Street.

Horses & Mares Wanted

Horses of all ages, from three years old up. They do not have to be sound or good workers, just so they are fat.

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This Is the Chance to Get Rid of Your Horses & Ponies

If you don't know me, ask your neighbor, he will tell you that I will buy any kind of a horse, big, little, or old, if he is fat, and that I will pay the Highest Market Price.

Bring All Your Stock in and get the Money

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SPANS SEAS TO JOIN CHILD.

Deported Syrian Travels 33,666 Miles for Daughter's Sake.

North Adams, Mass.—To outwit the immigration authorities and join his eight-year-old daughter here, a Syrian who arrived in this city traveled over 33,666 miles, expended a small fortune in transportation, and consumed six months' time.

The child was brought by her father to the city last winter. The girl found a home, but the father was deported, making the distance traveled when he again arrived at Beirut, Syria, 13,500 miles. He reembarked within a few days for Rio Janeiro, Brazil, 7,425 miles away. His intention was to enter the states at a gulf port, not daring to trust himself again to the immigration officials of the larger eastern cities.

While in Brazil he reached the conclusion that it would be better had he started originally for Canada. At the first opportunity he embarked on a vessel for Colon, whence he crossed the isthmus of Panama. It required several weeks' waiting before he finally embarked on a sailing vessel for Victoria, B. C. He arrived early in May at British Columbia, he had added 8,400 miles to his itinerary.

In June he journeyed from Victoria to Montreal, 3,291 miles. He then determined upon a final cast and headed for the United States. At this point he had no trouble in crossing the line from Canada and made 335 miles from Montreal to Boston. The night he arrived in that city he covered the final 100 odd miles still separating him and his little girl.

TO ILLUMINATE NIAGARA FALLS.

Mist and Water Will Flash All Colors of Rainbow at Night.

Niagara Falls, N. Y.—The contract has been closed for the night illumination of Niagara falls, and the proposed plan for lighting the mighty torrent will be the greatest feat ever conceived in electrical illumination.

The falls will be illuminated for the first time August 15. The illuminating scheme calls for nearly 50 large searchlights, several of them the largest of their kind and capable of throwing a beam of light a hundred miles, and the new color scintillator, a late invention. The projectors will be located below the falls in two batteries, one at the water's edge and the other on the high ground of the Canadian side. Every inch of the two falls will be under light.

The new color scintillator is an attachment fitted to the searchlights by which the beams of light can be made any color at will. Thus the mist and water bathed in all the colors of the rainbow, will surpass anything in spectacular effect save the great Northern Lights.

The proposition is to illuminate Niagara on a scale in keeping with the surroundings. It is said by the illuminating experts that the rays of colored lights when flashed in the air will be visible at Rochester and Toronto.

The Red and Blue social will be held at the East Sedalia Baptist parsonage this evening, rain or shine.

Lincoln Items

Lincoln, Mo., August 21.

The recent rains were sufficient to nature the early corn.

Miss Marie Rhodes spent last Saturday and Sunday in Ionia, the guest of Miss Cora Schnable.

H. B. Shain and C. C. Lawson, of Sedalia, are the speakers for our picnic here on August 29.

Ernest Gibson and wife, of Kansas City, are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Gray, here. Mr. Gibson says he may make this his future home.

Rev. S. M. Avery and family have recently moved to our village.

About sixty or seventy-five persons from Benton and Henry counties are now camped at Clark Sulphur Springs, twelve miles southwest of Lincoln.

J. M. Hunter and wife left for Oklahoma for a ten days' visit last Tuesday.

The Christian church will give an ice cream social next Friday night.

The Southern Methodist church will hold its twenty-first quarterly meeting here next Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Bloss of Sedalia, was here this week looking after his lumber business.

Let everybody come to our picnic August 29.

Rev. Dunn, of Appleton City, delivered an address here last Sunday on local option. He will make three or four other speeches in the county.

The Cole Camp cornet band has been employed to play for the autumnal picnic here August 29th.

Miss Lucy Hoffman, of Kansas City, came home last Monday on account of the serious sickness of her father.

William and Oscar Kislung, of Eldon, Mo., are visiting their sister, Mrs. Dr. Jones, this week.

Carpet, Rugs and Draperies
A. W. McKenzie, 114 E. 5th St.

Midsummer Furniture Sale.

The John T. Collins Furniture and Carpet company is just at the wind up of its midsummer clearance sale, which opened Thursday, August 15th to continue for ten days. Only three more days remain for this sale, which closes Monday evening, August 26th. Some very exceptional values are offered in this sale and it will pay all who are contemplating purchasing furniture to attend. Mr. Collins said this morning that this sale has attracted wide attention and has proved the most successful in the history of the store.

Today's Democrat-Sentinel contains another announcement of this sale on Page 5.

All school books and supplies can be found at Dunlap's, 504 Ohio street.

S.S.S. FORTY YEARS OF CURES

Long experience and thorough testing have proven S. S. S. to be the King of blood purifiers and the greatest of all tonics. For nearly half a century S. S. S. has been used in the treatment of blood and skin diseases of every character, and so satisfactory have been the results that it is now the best known and most widely used blood medicine on the market. S. S. S. attracted attention as soon as it was placed on the market by curing promptly those diseases for which it was recommended, and we have so jealously guarded its first good reputation, by keeping it up to its standard in manufacture, that it now has the unequalled and pleasing record of "Forty Years Of Cures." For Rheumatism, Catarrh, Scrofula, Sores and Ulcers, Malaria, Skin Diseases, Contagious Blood Poison, and all other diseases due to an impure or poisoned condition of the blood, there is nothing that equals S. S. S. It counteracts and removes the germs and poisons, cleanses the system of all unhealthy matter, cures the trouble permanently, and restores strong, robust health. Where the blood is weak or anaemic and unable to nourish the system as it should, S. S. S. supplies it with the needed properties, and being a bracing, invigorating tonic it builds up the entire system. It goes to the very bottom of all blood disorders, and in this way reaches deep-seated and inherited cases on which the ordinary sarsaparillas and tonics have little or no effect. Not only is S. S. S. certain in its results, but it is an absolutely safe medicine. It enjoys the distinction of being the only blood medicine on the market that is guaranteed purely vegetable. If you are in need of a blood remedy begin the use of S. S. S., the medicine that has proven its worth by its record of forty years of cures. Book on the blood and any medical advice you wish. No charge for either.

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Of Men's Spring 2 and 3-Piece Suits.

All former \$18 and \$20 values

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This entitles you to the free and unrestricted choice.

Straw Hats Now Half Price



THE BELL
SALE

Hart Schaffner & Marx

a renewal for the daily Democrat-Sentinel.

William Santhuly, a Warnsburg business man, was here today, on his way home from attending the fair at Boonville.

Mrs. S. Bloch and son, and Mrs. A. Bloch and son, all of Carthage, returned today from a few days' visit at Versailles.

Miss Irene Friemel and brother, Oscar, returned home to Jefferson City this afternoon, after visiting Sedalia relatives.

Mrs. Adelia Monroe, of Sixth street and Missouri avenue, left last night for a week's visit with her sister at Trenton, Ill.

Mrs. F. F. Hatton and daughter, Miss Ruth, and Mrs. Ward Kellerman, of Beaman, are at El Dorado Springs for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John McGrath returned last night from a visit with his mother at Raton, N. M., and also at points in Colorado.

Miss Bess Kahrs left this afternoon for a three months' visit in Colorado.

Col. J. West Goodwin went to Warnsburg this afternoon.

Miss Lizzie Lennartz, of Montrose, is the guest of the family of her uncle, Joseph Lennartz, Wilkerson street and Moniteau avenue.

Miss Rosa Fritz, Mrs. Laura White and Miss Margaret Hough returned last night from a few days' visit at El Dorado Springs.

S. A. Kendrick, of Green Ridge, returned home this morning from St. Louis, where he had cattle on the market, and realized satisfactory prices.

Ed Brown, of Appleton City, general auditor for the Singer Sewing Machine company, returned to Kansas City this morning, after a business visit here.

Tim Dunning returned last night from Monegan Springs, leaving "Dick" Boehme, "Doc" Johnston and Dave Suhler for a longer battle with the mosquitoes.

Miss Jennie Kaiser, of Colorado Springs, who has been visiting Mrs. Otis Rogers and family, left this morning for Clinton, after which she will return home.

James Gilker, former clerk for Probate Judge Parsons, who is now employed at Kansas City, arrived here at noon today for a brief visit with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Shelton went to Chilhowee this morning to visit relatives, being accompanied by the latter's father, J. M. Duke, who will reside there in future.

Mrs. W. J. Castle arrived this morning from Castle, I. T., for a visit with her children in the country, her husband, "Squire" Castle, having preceded her.

L. F. Creagan, of Bucklin, Kan., accompanied by his sisters, Misses Florence and Isabel, Creagan, is visiting in Chicago, Milwaukee and other points of interest.

Miss Urna Fultz, of Kansas City, returned home yesterday afternoon, after a pleasant visit of a week with the family of her uncle, J. S. Guenther, 1608 South Ohio street.

Dr. and Mrs. J. N. Southern, of South Grand avenue, have as their guests Mrs. W. T. Rutledge, of Monroe City, Mo.; Mr. S. R. Harwood and Miss Lola Harwood, of St. Louis, and Miss Mayme Harwood, of Warrensburg.

Mr. and Mrs. William Higginbotham left at noon today for a visit at the Jamestown exposition. They will also visit in New York, Philadelphia, Boston, Washington, Baltimore and other cities, and will be absent until October 1.

Mrs. A. L. Jones and daughter, Miss Zella, of Green Ridge, and Miss Hazel Murphy, of the same place, who have been sojourning in Colorado for several weeks, were here today, and returned home on the morning train.

Joe Quinn will return tonight from a four days' visit at the Boonville street fair.

W. M. Jones, who has been visiting here, went to Climax Springs this morning to visit.

Joe Aschewand and Miss Katie Imberger went to Kansas City this afternoon to visit.

J. F. Moffatt, caterer for John Quinn, went to Boonville this morning to visit the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Baumgartner left this afternoon for a ten days' sojourn at Excelsior Springs.

Earl Cundiff returned last night from a brief visit at points on the north end of the Katy.

Mrs. G. W. Bradfield and daughter, Miss Bess, returned last night from visiting at Knob Noster.

Deputy Circuit Clerk H. E. Carpenter went to Kansas City this morning for a brief visit.

Prof. Duke H. Bradford, practical and analytical chemist, is here from St. Louis on a business visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Cundiff have as their guests Mrs. Effie Kirby and children, of Fairfield, Benton county.

Miss Mary Koch arrived here last evening from Knob Noster to visit Miss Bess Bradfield for several days.

A. L. Farmer returned to Morrisville this morning, after visiting his brother, W. F. Farmer, police officer.

W. O. Powell and J. R. Caldwell are up from Green Ridge today, transacting business in the probate court.

Mrs. Marv Crosswhite returned to her home in Morrisville this morning, after visiting her father, W. F. Farmer.

Miss Mary Glass and her brother, the Rev. Fr. Joseph Glass, of Los Angeles, Cal., are still visiting at Denver.

F. H. Mitchell was down from his home near Lamonte today, and left

TELL THEIR GRIEVANCES

KANSAS CITY STRIKERS ISSUED A STATEMENT TO THE PUBLIC.

COMPARISON OF AVERAGE WAGES

Statistics Show That the Men at the Key Get Smaller Compensation Than Any Other Class of Skilled Labor.

Occupations	Ave. wage per month
Electrical workers	\$ 83
Linotype operators	104
Carpenters	86
Cabinet makers	86
Steamfitters	120
Plumbers	120
Gasfitters	120
Plasterers	120
Lathers	120
Stonemasons	124
Stonecutters	115
Bricklayers	124
Hod carriers	72
Painters	93
Machinists	70
Tinners	91
Cement finishers	104
Cooks (with board free)	78
Tile layers	120
Marble workers	120
Iron molders	77
Locomotive engineers and conductors	\$110 to \$150
Pressmen	\$60 to 80
Telegraph operators (railway)	50
Telegraph operators (commercial)	46

The Kansas City Telegraphers' union has issued the following statement to the public regarding their grievances against the company:

The foregoing figures state far more eloquently than we can express in words the grievances that the striking telegraph operators have against the employing companies.

During the past twenty years the rate of wages in all industrial lines, skilled and unskilled, has increased in a reasonable ratio with the profits made by employers and the increased cost of living, the telegraph operator marking the sole and only exception to the universal rule.

To qualify for the service that we render to the public requires weary months of practice and preparation and an education and intelligence that is at least up to the average.

Yet, after all these years of progress and prosperity, with multiplied business and ever increasing dividends on the part of the telegraph companies, we are being paid on the average far less than the wage of a hod carrier, less than one-third the stipend of a bricklayer.

A good cook receives \$78 a month, with board free, but the average rate of wage of the commercial telegrapher is \$46.75 a month, and this takes into consideration the recent munificent raise of 10 per cent.

We have no quarrel to make as to wages that are paid in other occupations. The increases that have been made must have been justified by circumstances, otherwise they would never have been made. We only ask that we be permitted to catch step with the prosperity era, a privilege that has been denied us for a quarter of a century.

There are other and serious grievances we have against the employing companies, but we are willing to rest our case with the public on this one thing alone—that we are underpaid in comparison to the faithful service that we render.

We will be willing to lay aside all other causes of complaint if the employing companies will recognize us as men instead of regarding us as chattels, fix reasonable hours for work and give us on the average something slightly less than is made by the man who carries a hod.

Great Land Owner.
The Duke of Northumberland is the largest land owner in England. His estates stretch almost from sea to sea, and he can ride 100 miles and not once leave his own domain. In appearance he is tall and thin, with reddish hair and flowing whiskers. He is old-fashioned in manner, and shows many of the attributes of a grand seigneur. And he has all the pride of the Percys and keeps up to the full their Olympian traditions. He was once heard to say: "You will have to go a long way back in our record to find a Percy who was either idle or a spendthrift." In religion he is an Irregular, like his father, and he has converted the duchess to his own belief.

Blackmailing Big Gamblers.
Chicago, Aug. 22.—A plot to levy blackmail of \$1,000 a week upon the gambling kings of Chicago has been uncovered by the police and Pinkerton detectives.

No October Assessment.
The M. W. of A. will skip its October assessment.

Vudor Porch Shades at Cost
A. W. McKenzie, 114 E. 5th St.

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We Can Fix You Up Without It

Roast beef, 15c; 2 lbs. 25c
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Watch this Clock Every Day in August



SPECIAL SALE
of
Woven
Ginghams

HOW DO YOU DO IT?

Has been a question often asked of us in reference to the big savings in these daily August sales. And you may well wonder—good business judgment in looking ahead almost a year ago to a decided advance of raw materials together with several trips to market, cash in hand, and all the time anticipating these sales in August, has brought to you bargains of every sort, sold with the smallest margin of profit consistent with good business.

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Day Goods

The Store Abounds With Bargains

Friday, August 23rd

And for 5 Hours only, 9 to 11 a. m., 2 to 5 p. m.

12½c Woven GINGHAMS

Although the price of raw cotton is today the highest known for over half a century, these Gingham are offered to you at a saving of 50 on every yard—a fact which means much more than it would have meant last year. Mothers who have children, to clothe for school, here's your opportunity to buy several dresses and waists, and the saving afforded will go a long way toward the purchase of other necessities which follow in the train of the opening of school. It's more too early to start to make school attire now. Absolutely fast color woven Gingham (not printed calico in gingham patterns sold elsewhere at 10c a yard, and here at 7½c). The favorite shepherd checks, p'ds and stripes, chiefly in dark tones. We defy any merchant to go in the market today and buy such gingham as these for less than 8½c a yard in any quantity. Not over 24 yards to a customer, and no telephone orders accepted.

PARASOLS—1/3 Off Former Prices

TODAY'S MARKET REPORTS

Latest Wire Quotations on Grain, Live Stock and Local Products.

The Grain Quotations.
The following quotations are furnished the Democrat-Sentinel at 3 p. m. each day by B. C. Christopher & Co., grain merchants, Board of Trade building, Kansas City, Mo.:

Grain receipts—Wheat, 133 cars; corn, 45 cars; oats, 27 cars.

Wheat market—Steady and unchanged. No 2 selling at 81c to 87c; Sept., 80½c; Dec., 80½c; May, 92c; No. 2 cash, 80½c to 85½c.

Corn market—Firm; unchanged: ½c higher. No. 2 white, 51c; No. 2 yellow, 50c to 50½c; No. 2 mixed, 49½c to 50½c; Sept., 49½c; Dec., 46½c; May, 48½c.

Oats—No. 2 mixed, 46½c to 47c. Market is generally ½c higher.

Live Stock Quotations.
The following quotations are furnished the Democrat-Sentinel at 3 p. m. each day by Daniel-McMullen Live Stock Commission Co., stock yards, Kansas City, Mo.:

Live stock receipts—Cattle, 7,666; hogs, 7,090; sheep, 2,000.

Cattle market—Quiet. Steers, choice, \$6.75 to \$7; good, \$6 to \$6.25; medium, \$4.50 to \$5. Cows, choice, \$4 to \$4.25; good, \$3 to \$3.25; common, \$2.40 to \$2.65. Feeders, choice, \$4.75 to \$5.25; medium, \$4 to \$4.60.

Hog market—Weak to 5c lower: top, \$6; bulk, \$5.70 to \$5.90. Canine heavy, over 250 pounds, \$5.70 to \$5.80; choice prime, over 200 pounds, \$5.80 to \$5.90; choice light, over 100 pounds, \$5.90 to \$6.

Sheep—Native wethers, \$5.50 to \$5.70; native ewes, \$5 to \$5.25; native lambs, \$6.50 to \$7; western wethers, \$5.40 to \$5.65; western ewes, \$5 to \$5.25. Market steady for a week.

SEDALIA MARKETS.
Prices Paid by the Local Dealers for Products of the Farm and Dairy, Breadstuffs, Cereals, Etc.

Butter, per lb. 18c to 20c
Lard, per lb. 10c
Potatoes, per bu. 75c
Eggs, per doz. 12c

Cereals and Breadstuffs.
Hard wheat flour, per cwt. \$2.40
Soft wheat flour, per cwt. \$2.30
Graham flour, per cwt. \$2.30
Chops, per cwt. \$1.15
Pran, per cwt. \$1.00
Corn, per bu. 60c
Wheat, per bu. 70c

Poultry.
Spring chickens, per lb. 10c
Hens, per lb. 9½c

Fishing on the Lamine.
Leonard Donnelly, Will Satterwhite, Zed Stevens, Emmett Smith and Mel May left this morning for a few days' fishing visit near Clifton City, on the Lamine river.

We, the undersigned, having disposed of our entire output of coke for this season to the Stanley Coal Co., hereby notify our former customers that they can buy coke only through the Stanley Coal Co.—Sedalia Light and Traction Co.

Wanted—Two chamber maids. Apply Antlers hotel.

Empress Laid Up in Bed.
Wilhelmshof, Aug. 22.—Empress Augusta Victoria, while walking in a park here yesterday, slipped and fell,

injuring a vein in her leg, which will make it necessary for her to remain in bed for several weeks.

AMUSEMENTS

Fatty Felix, a Musical Comedy.
Fatty Felix, a new musical comedy, will be at Wood's opera house Sunday night, August 25th. This is the latest cartoon comedy from the brain of that funny cartoonist, McDougall, of newspaper fame, ever presented to the American public. The title role of Fatty Felix is in the hands of Fred Walters, who is assisted by a cast of the best talent. The music of the whistling variety.

Fritz on the Dachshund.
Little Fritz was told to write an essay on his favorite dog and he wrote the following on the dachshund: "Der dachshund was a German dog dot looks like a bologna sausage mit legs. Vence fader had a dachshund dot vos so long ven at ran around der block ut had to hold up its head to keep from running over uts hind legs. Der dachshund was an obedient dog, but ven you call him to come quick he is always long. He can't help ut—he was born dot vay. Above all, der dachshund ves der only member ut der dog's family whose breath comes in long bants. All der rest comes in short bants. Hurrah for der dachshund!"

ROOT BEER FREE.
If you have a Root Beer ticket it is good for a free Stein of Hire's Root Beer. The tickets are the same as money to us.—Arlington Pharmacy.

Miss Dillard is Better.
Miss Annie Ruby Dillard, who for four weeks has been confined to her room with fever, came downstairs today for the first time since she was taken ill.

Had Two Initiations.
Joseph E. Bradenburg and E. C. Schatt were initiated into Sedalia camp No. 13, Woodmen of the World, at last night's meeting, and one application was balloted on.

All school books and supplies can be found at Dunlap's, 504 Ohio street.

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Indian Portland Cement, common. 1,200,000 100 38 40
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Independence, Kas., Portland, prfd. 1,000,000 100 7 per cent 92 95
Independence, Kas., Portland, com. 1,500,000 100 50 60
Kansas Portland Cement, prfd. 600,000 100 7 per cent 92 95
Kansas Portland Cement, common. 1,000,000 100 10 per cent 107 112
Kansas City Portland prfd. 750,000 100 7 per cent 80 85
Kansas City Portland, common. 750,000 100 32 36
Union Portland Cement. 2,500,000 100 7 per cent 98 100
Western States Portland, prfd. 1,500,000 100 7 per cent 87 90
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PERSONALS

Drink Sweet Springs water.

J. M. Lane went to Warsaw today.

G. D. Malone went to Moberly today.

R. W. Griffith went to Windsor today.

Frank Plumer went to Boonville today.

Jack Deylin went to Columbia this morning.

J. H. Meyer went to Windsor this forenoon.

Stanley Shortridge went to Warsaw today.

Harry Finke went to Kansas City this morning.

June Harris went to Pilot Grove this morning.

E. F. Jones went to Warrensburg this morning.

S. B. Livingston and wife went to Versailles today.

J. J. Frank made a business visit at Lamonte today.

David Roberts went to Warrensburg this afternoon.

Miss Pearl Early returned this morning from Windsor.

J. M. Brown went to St. Louis at noon today on business.

A. L. Shortridge went to Cole Camp today on business.

Ernest Demuth went to Windsor this forenoon on business.

Dr. W. T. Bishop was down from Hughesville this afternoon.

Miss Ruby Lively returned this morning from Green Ridge.

A. M. Linn went to Boonville this forenoon to "take in" the fair.

H. G. Bowman made a business visit in the Quarry City today.

F. F. Combs and son went to Beaman this morning on business.

Nick Lennartz went to Montrose this forenoon to visit relatives.

Will Lee returned today from a business visit at Harrisonville.

J. B. Brown went to Moberly this morning on insurance business.

Cecil Johnson made a business trip to Versailles this afternoon.

George Klein went to Tipton today, likewise W. D. Bowman.

Henry Edwards went to Boonville this morning to take in the fair.

John L. McIntosh, proprietor of the McIntosh hotel at Knob Noster, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Ni-

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Saved.

M. Jacques Bonhomme et sa femme
were entertaining a company of select
friends. They had just got seated at
table when Baptiste, the waiter, rushed
into the room in a state of wild alarm,
exclaiming: "Quick! a glass of wine." Every-
body stared, but his wish was
complied with, and Baptiste swallowed
at one gulp a glass of wine poured out
by the lady of the house, who inquired
what was the matter with him. "Oh,
madam, I am dreadfully upset. That
glass of wine has done me good; it
has brought me round. Only think! I
have just had the misfortune to
break your two large dessert dishes of
Sèvres porcelain."

THERE'S NO
difference in
the opinion of
those who drink

People Drink it
Because it's
Good

TRY IT

SOME DEALS IN DIRT

TRANSFERS THAT HAVE TAKEN
PLACE IN BOTH THE CITY
AND COUNTY.

WHAT THE COUNTY RECORD SHOWS

Deeds That Have Been Filed in the
Office of Recorder Morey
During the Week Ending
August 21st.

Realty transfers have been filed for
record as follows:

Forest W. Rainer and wife to
Robert H. and Rosa Michael,
wd, property in M. K. & T.
shop addition \$ 650

A. W. Winzenburg and wife to
Robert Shipp, wd, tract of
ground of seven acres in Se-
dalia township, south of city
limits 700

Lewis W. Stark to August B.
and Joseph M. Pepper, wd,
60 acres of land in Green
Ridge township 3000

Washington Marquis to E. C.
White, qcd, undivided inter-
est in property east side of
Massachusetts street, be-
tween Tenth and Eleventh
streets 100

Mary E. Van Hook and hus-
band et al to J. H. Downs, wd,
undivided 1-7 interest in 80
acres of land in Houstonia
township 2600

J. W. Mellor and wife et al to
William Triplett, wd, prop-
erty east side of Osage avenue,
between Nineteenth and
Twentieth streets 700

H. S. Spencer and wife to A. A.
and Sarah E. Baker, wd,
property southwest corner of
Tenth and Barrett avenue... 600

W. G. Seaton and wife to Han-
nah M. Parsons, wd, property
in the town of Lamonte..... 500

Thomas Terry and wife to Han-
nah M. Parsons, wd, property
in the town of Lamonte..... 300

Stella M. Crandall to Harriet
E. Clark, qcd, property north
side of Fifth street, between
Osage and Kentucky..... 200

Anna Mahnik and husband et
al to Henry Klopp, wd, tract
of land in Washington town-
ship, also land in Benton
county, Mo. 17,500

Alexander Williams and wife to
Robert B. Ransdell, wd, prop-
erty in South Sedalia..... 50

Samuel W. James, admr, to G.
J. Grosshans, admr d, 20
acres of land in Washington
township 350

G. J. Grosshans and wife to
Samuel W. James, wd, 20
acres of land in Washington
township 400

L. T. Shaw and wife to Q. P.
Taylor, wd, property in the
town of Lamonte 500

Q. P. Taylor and wife to Wil-
liam and Emeline Duke, wd,
property in town of Lamonte
Edward Imhauser and wife to
William J. Imhauser, wd, 40
acres of land in Smithton
township 1400

SPIDER WEBS FOR CUTS.

Primitive Treatment Fails, However,
and Receives a Black Eye.

Caramba, la.—Spider webs are still
used by many persons to cure cuts.
How this idea started is not known,
but there are hundreds of families in
this and adjoining counties that be-
lieve in the cure implicitly.

It is the impression that no matter
how serious a fresh cut is, the appli-
cation of a web of spider webs will
quickly check the flow of blood and
materially aid in healing the wound.
A common sight in farmhouses
when one of the help gets a slash with
the corn knife is the housewife gather-
ing a bunch of cobwebs on the end
of a broom and slapping them against
the wound.

This primitive treatment, which has
been condemned by physicians, got a
black eye last summer when lockjaw
developed in the case of one patient
who tried the web treatment, and he
died in agony.

Since then the dust-covered webs
have been permitted to remain on the
ceilings.

Museum Gets 1800 B. C. Statue.
New York.—Theodore H. Davis, the
archaeologist, has arrived from Eu-
rope, bringing with him one of the
oldest relics in the world. This is an
alabaster statue of Queen Teie, a
famous Egyptian, whose tomb Mr.
Davis recently discovered. The statue
dates from 1800 B. C. It will be pre-
sented to the Metropolitan Museum of
Art. Mr. Davis said that they worked
three years excavating the tombs of
the kings in Thebes, and it will be
two years more before the work is
completed.

CASTORIA.

Bears the
Signature
of *Chas. H. Pritchard*

Classified Ads

WANTED

Wanted—Engineer and separator
man. Apply 320 West Sixth street.

Wanted—Gentle driving mare for
family use. 714 E. Broadway.

Wanted—A young lady bookkeeper.
Address "Bookkeeper, care Democrat-
Sentinel.

Wanted—Horsehoer and black-
smith. Apply to Fisher shop, West
Second street.

Wanted—Young man about 18 years
old; must be willing to work and be
well recommended. Apply F. W.
Woolworth & Co., 230 Ohio street.

Wanted—Refined Catholic lady to
board little girl 4 years old; one
without children preferred. Address
communications to E. C. P., care Dem-
ocrat-Sentinel.

Lost

Lost—Small pocketbook containing
\$36 and some small change, in South-
west Sedalia. Return to this office
for reward.

Manila Items

Manila, Mo., August 21.

Mrs. Godfrey, who has been sick
for some time, is reported better.

Walter Moffit was a Manila caller
Tuesday.

P. R. Schnobel, the Ionla stock
buyer, was buying stock here this
week.

Roy Greer, who has been visiting
in Dade county for the past three
weeks, returned home Monday.

Mrs. Emma Whipp spent Tuesday
evening with Mrs. Ella Jordan.

Miss Dinela Beathards left Thurs-
day for Kansas, where she will visit
friends and relatives.

Miss Media and Lester Jordan
spent Sunday evening with Mrs. Eva
Scott and family.

Miss Grace Pottoff is visiting her
sister, Mrs. Bessie Keyte, this week.
Miss Cora Walton has returned
home again, after a long absence.

Mrs. C. E. Beard and children at-
tended the basket dinner at McGee
chapel on last Sunday.

Miss Nora Mowry and sister, Mag-
gie, and children, spent Thursday
evening with Miss Addie Mowry.

The social at Ionla Saturday night
was a success. There was a large
crowd and they took in \$60.

Mrs. Mary Durrill spent Wednes-
day with Mrs. Henry Logan.

Mrs. C. E. Beard and son, Robert,
made a trip to Sedalia Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Durrill was shopping
in Sedalia Saturday.

THE DIET OF CONSUMPTIVES.

Overfeeding Recommended, But Proper
Digestion Must Be Assured.

Herbert C. Clapp, of Boston, writing
in the Medical Record, says that diet
is a most important factor in the
treatment of tuberculosis. A con-
sumptive is much more likely to eat
too little than too much. Systematic
overfeeding with proper digestion of
the food are the accepted remedies.
The food must be palatable and well
served and the amount must vary
with the patient and his circum-
stances. The outdoor air will enable
him to assimilate large amounts. Milk
and eggs are the best foods to pro-
duce fats, which are most necessary
to the patient. The author advocates
three solid meals a day, with lunches
between of milk and eggs, about three
quarts of milk and six eggs a day be-
ing taken. Fresh meats are especially
necessary for these patients, but a
mixed diet is undoubtedly the best
borne. Meat juice is valuable. Pastry,
candy, fried foods and cabbage should
be let alone. Alcohol is not advisable,
but coffee, tea and chocolate may be
taken moderately.

Value of the Thumb.

"Solomon says thumbs up," because
the thumb is said to be worth fully
one-third the entire value of the hand.
The different fingers are far from
having all the same value before the
eyes of the law. Much the most im-
portant among them is the thumb,
for without it the hand no longer is
a pincers, but merely a claw. The
French court allows in damages 15
to 35 per cent. value for the right
thumb. The Austrian schedule gives
from 15 per cent. for the left to 35
per cent. for the right. In Germany
20 to 28 per cent., and even as high
as 33.3 per cent. has been awarded.
The percentage is based on 100 as the
total value of the hand, industriously
speaking, before the accident.

L. C. SNELL, Dermatologist and
Chiroprapist. Hair loss restored or
money refunded. Bell 'phone 320.

FOR RENT

For Rent—A furnished room at 300
W. 3rd.

For Rent—One front room, furnis-
hed, with bath. 406 W. Third.

For Sale—A light buggy (brake)
rubber tires; almost new. Bell phone
281.

For Rent—Two furnished rooms for
light housekeeping. Apply 605 East
Eleventh.

For Rent—Two large front rooms,
furnished for housekeeping. 903 E.
Fourth street.

For Rent—Twelve room house, fur-
nished or unfurnished. Apply 419 S.
Hancock street.

For Rent—One of six new cottages,
Eleventh and Barrett avenue, \$10.—
C. C. Lawson, Hgenfritz building.

FOR SALE

For Sale—Good second-hand light
surrey, cheap. Apply Singer store.

For Sale—3 bed room suits, 3 rugs,
1 carpet, 1 box couch, cheap if sold at
once. 120 W. 5th st.

For Sale—Nine room house and two
lots, with large barn; good repair; a
bargain. Apply 318 West Eleventh
street.

For Sale—1-room house, 1 lot near
M. K. & T. shops; will take team or
horses and wagon as part payment.
Apply 1915 South Grand avenue.

Scoring the Buttermaker.

The officials of the dairy division of
the department of agriculture are
planning a score card that will not
only score butter and cheese but that
will score the buttermakers and
cheesemakers also. This is a good
plan, and the card would do much
good if it could be honestly used.
Some of the managers of factories
would be surprised at the low scoring
they would receive. It would certainly
be a good thing for the dairy schools,
for it would show the dairy students
raking high up as a rule. This would
be an object lesson to the boards that
control creameries and cheese factories.

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Cures in 24 HOURS
the same diseases with-
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Relieves instantly.

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A POSITIVE CURE
For Inflammation or Catarrh
of the Bladder and Diseases
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nently the worst cases of
Gonorrhea and Gleet
no matter of how long stand-
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Sold by druggists. Price \$1.00
or by mail, postpaid, \$1.00
three boxes \$2.75.

For Sale by W. E. Bard Drug Co.

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The Cash Grocers
No. 114 West Main Street
Q. C. 387. Bell 663.

Four Stores—114 W. Main, 537 E. Fifth;
811 W. Main; 5th & Engineer.

THIS WEEK WE OFFER YOU:
15 lbs. best granulated sugar.....\$1
10 lbs. good roasted coffee.....\$1
9 lbs. dry salt meat.....\$1
9 lbs pure lard.....\$1
6 bars Echo or Old Country Soap.....25c
5 gallons gasoline.....85c
5 gallons Sunlight coal oil.....55c
5 lbs bulk starch.....25c
1 box fresh honey.....15c
1 lb. fancy shredded coconut.....20c
2 cans red salmon.....25c
1 lb. broken macaroni.....5c
Compare these prices with any
other store in Sedalia and see if they
are not all bargains. We guarantee
the quality of the groceries we sell,
and we know our prices are bed-rock.

Training The
Children

By RENE BOUCHELLE.

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"I always have believed that I could
beat Sarah raising those children of
hers, and now my time has come to
prove it, even if a month is a mighty
short time to show what a body can
do."

Janet Burton's remark was called
forth by the receipt of a letter from
her sister, asking if she would keep
house and care for her five children,
ranging in age from one to 14, while
she went away for a month. In reply-
ing, Janet not only acceded to her sis-
ter's request, but intimated she would
be glad to relieve her of her house-
hold cares for two months instead of
one.

It was with the spirit and zeal of a
true missionary that Janet took charge
of her small nieces and nephews, as
she was sure their faults were those
of training and not inherent, and would
soon be corrected by her wise manage-
ment.

Their parents left Monday morn-
ing on an early train, and her enlighten-
ment and their education began at the
breakfast table, where fried chicken
occupied the place of honor.

First the twins quarreled over who
was to get the pulley-bone. Janet cut
the pulley-bone in two, and gave each
one half; but instead of causing satis-
faction, the twins were as spiky dur-
ing the balance of the meal as only
eight-year-old youngsters can be, and
paid no attention whatever to their
aunt's explanation that she had done
the only wise and reasonable thing
under the circumstances.

"Aunt Janet, mother isn't here, so
can't I have coffee for breakfast?"
piped up six-year-old Margaret.

"No, my dear, you can't do anything
while your mother is away that she
would not allow, for that would be
disobedience."

"I don't care, and papa always let
me have it when mamma's gone."

"Good Heavens! was it possible
that Sarah had no more control over
her children than this," thought Janet,
as she hurriedly gulped down a cup
of coffee, so as to be ready for the
next outbreak.

But the balance of the meal passed
off quietly, and after seeing that the
baby was properly fed she set about
getting the oldest boy off to school.
Now, William Henry had reached the
age when the grub is transformed into
a butterfly, and Solomon himself
couldn't have been more particular
about his raiment.

"Aunt Janet, I want a clean collar
and handkerchief." These wants were
supplied, and Janet returned to the
lunch she was preparing.

"Aunt Janet, these stockings have
got a hole in them; please get me
another pair." Back she went and
searched until she found a whole pair,
and again returned to the unfinished
luncheon.

After several other stops to hunt for
missing articles the lunch was finally
prepared, and the young man started
off to school, fully 30 minutes late.

Her troubles broke out afresh next
morning when she found that the
twins and Margaret had gone off be-
fore breakfast, no one knew where.
The place was searched, high and low,
and failing to find a trace of them any-
where, she alarmed the neighborhood,
and started out parties in every direc-
tion looking for them. Breakfast was
forgotten entirely, and only baby
Louise, serenely unconscious of the
state of affairs, cared for any. Her
demands for sustenance for the inner
man were so loud and insistent, how-
ever, that her distracted aunt was
finally compelled to heed them, as the
nurse had gone off with the others in
their search for the children.

About nine o'clock the trunks
slipped in the back gate and made a
headline for the kitchen. The cook's
shout of:

"Glory, Kallehujah, here they is!"
brought Janet promptly on the scene,
and in the excess of her gratitude at
their safe return, she would have
fallen on the culprits' necks and wept
tears of joy—only each pair of arms
encircled three or four huge bull-
frogs, and the twins were so muddy
and dirty from head to foot that it
was difficult to distinguish one from
the other, while Margaret was scarce-
ly any better. Eugene explained that
early that morning they had become
possessed of a sudden desire for some
bullfrogs' legs for breakfast, and had
gone to the pond for them, carrying
Margaret along to hold the bait. Un-
fortunately they had both tumbled in,
and the reason they were so late get-
ting home was that so many people
were prowling around, and they had
had such a time dodging them.

Corporal punishment was against
her principles, so Janet marched them
to the bathroom and, after a thorough
scrubbing, put them both to bed to
meditate over the way of the trans-
gressor.

It was out of the question to send
William Henry to school at this late
hour, and that young gentleman spent
the balance of the morning in front of
the mirror primping.

When evening finally arrived Janet
was too weary and dispirited to write
her sister the daily bulletin she had
promised. In addition she was troubled
with a very tender conscience, and as
she couldn't truthfully say that mat-
ters had gone well, she thought it bet-
ter not to say anything.

For once the children were tired
enough to submit to being put to bed

Christening a New Turbine.



The above picture is from a photograph taken at the launching of the
American Turbine Creole, at Quincy, Mass. Miss Mary Harriman, daughter
of E. H. Harriman, president of the Southern Pacific railroad, which owns the
vessel, christened it.

at the proper time without protest, and
by nine o'clock the house was quiet
and everything peaceful.

But the ducking proved too much
for the twins, who were subject to
croup, and about 12 o'clock Janet was
awakened by a croupy cough that
made her heart sink, and sent cold
chills running up and down her spine.
She popped a cloth wrung out of ice
water around their necks, covered it
with a dry towel, and administered
three different emetics, one after the
other, as fast as the frightened twins
could swallow them. The result when
they all took effect at once may be
imagined. Sea sickness was nothing
to it, and Janet felt that if there was
any efficacy in nausea, they would
surely be better immediately. This
proved to be the case, and in a short
time they were both breathing easily,
and soon dropped off to sleep. Too
frightened and wide-awake to think of
sleep herself, Janet sat up the balance
of the night, and as a consequence
early the next morning developed a
bad sick headache. She managed to
get William Henry off to school, sent
the twins to spend the day with their

looked so pale and ill that the children
took pity on her, and were on their
good behavior all day. Callers came
late in the afternoon, however, and
she did not think of the message to
her sister until after she retired that
night, and sleepily promised herself to
write Sarah a long letter next day.

A whole day of goodness on the part
of the children was necessarily fol-
lowed by an unbending of superflu-
ous animal spirits, and all day Satur-
day they acted as if they were
possessed. Eugene, whose appe-
tite was always greater than his
capacity, watched his opportunity,
and when the cook's back was turned,
snatched a chocolate cake which she
had just baked for Sunday. She was
too fat and unwieldy to give chase,
and went grumbling and sputtering
to Janet with her complaint of "dem
rampageous chilren."

After evening tea with one ac-
cord they all demanded to be told
stories. Gathering them on the cool
vine-clad piazza, Janet breathed a sigh
of relief at this easy mode of enter-
taining them, and then began the
"once upon a time," so dear to chil-
dren's hearts. But the more she told,
the more they demanded, and when
the whistle of the train from the west
blew, at eight o'clock, she was still
trying to cater to their insatiable ap-
petites for stories, though her mouth
was dry and she felt that her tongue
would soon be hanging out.

A hack drove rapidly up the street
and stopped at their gate, and her
heart gave a great bound as in the
gathering twilight she recognized the
two persons coming up the walk as
her sister and her brother-in-law.

"Oh, Janet, why didn't you write me
—what has been the matter with my
precious darlings? Mother'll never
leave them again," and Sarah
Baker gathered her brood to her am-
ple bosom and showered kisses and
caresses upon them.

When she took time to breathe, she
explained to Janet that not hearing
from her, she grew more and more un-
easy about the children, until finally
she just could not stand it any longer,
and had taken the first train for home,
as she had been perfectly miserable
ever since she left there.

In the relief of feeling herself free
from responsibility, all the shortcom-
ings of her charges were forgotten,
and Janet told her sister that it had
been nothing but negligence on her
part that had caused her to overlook
writing, and that the children had
been all that could be desired.

But it was noticed thereafter that
when the subject of child-raising was
broached in her presence, she always
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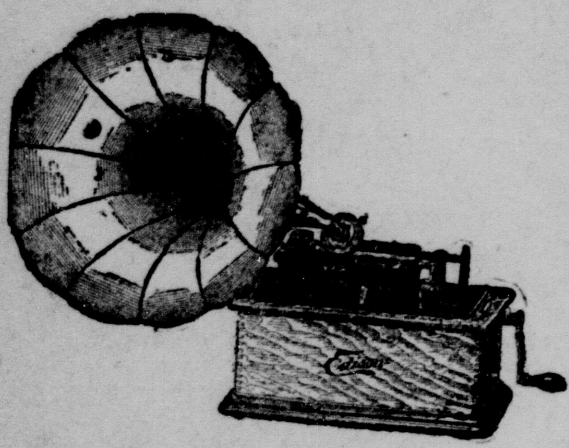
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WILL WAS PROBATED

That of John N. Spickert, Who Died Last Monday.

The will of the late John N. Spickert, who died at his home, five miles northeast of Green Ridge, last Monday, was admitted to probate court today by Judge Kennedy, and H. R. Camp was appointed executor under the will.

The document, which is quite lengthy, was attested on July 30, 1907, and was witnessed by J. A. Harris and H. B. Shain.

Judge Kennedy appointed Bell Hutchinson, W. O. Powell and Geo. E. Hollenbeck as appraisers of the estate.

To his wife, Martha J. Spickert, he willed and bequeathed \$3,000, in accordance with an agreement entered into before their marriage, in lieu of all dower. He further willed to his widow a dwelling house in the town of Cross Timbers, in Hickory county.

The balance of the estate is willed to his children and grandchildren, under fourteen provisions in the will.

ANXIOUS FOR WESCOTT

Suspended Pitcher Seems Satisfied With Miami Job.

Should Happy Wescott, one of the star members of the Joplin team, not appear on the ball field today, he will be suspended for the balance of the season and fined, says the Joplin Globe.

Wescott was fined and suspended two weeks ago because, as the management alleges, he "laid down" in the box.

Wescott has given no intimation of his returning to Joplin, and may finish the season pitching for the Miami team, where he draws a large salary.

Jack Root, the second member of the Joplin team who was suspended, has been taken back and pitched yesterday. His suspension of five days was relinquished, but the fine of \$25 was imposed. Root twirled good ball yesterday and has promised to give the scuttle a rest for the balance of the season.

Wed By Judge Clark.

John W. Carter, of this city, and Minnie H. Johnson, also of Sedalia, were married by Judge F. W. Clark Wednesday.



are caused by indigestion. If you eat a little too much, or if you are subject to attacks of indigestion, you have no doubt had shortness of breath, rapid heart beats, heartburn or palpitation of the heart. Indigestion causes the stomach to expand—swell, and puff up against the heart. This crowds the heart and interferes with its action, and in the course of time the heart becomes diseased.

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REGARDING RAILROADS

BURLINGTON PLANS TO SHORTEN THE ST. LOUIS-KANSAS CITY LINE.

COACH, CAB AND CABOOSE ITEMS

Matters of Interest Picked Up From Various Sources for the Benefit of Democrat-Sentinel Readers.

The Burlington plans to build a railway line from Mexico, Mo., to Kansas City, thereby connecting with its Mexico-St. Louis cut-off, and giving it a direct line between Kansas City and St. Louis. The proposed route is to be an air line. Surveyors are in the field to find the shortest route.

The surveying party, consisting of eleven men, in charge of C. L. Parsons, of Chicago, engineer for the Burlington, reached Mexico yesterday and established headquarters for the purpose of handling the survey. A private office was established in Mexico.

The Burlington cut-off now terminates at Francis, a suburb of Mexico, and the plan is to build the line from that point north along the Wabash line to Harlem, where it intersects the Kansas City-Omaha line of the Burlington road, going over the Kansas City, St. Joseph and Council Bluffs tracks into Kansas City.

The proposed line is to be built for the purpose of ending the joint track arrangement that has existed between the Burlington and Chicago and Alton between Kansas City and St. Louis. This arrangement has not been satisfactory, officials of the company involved assert, and it was decided some time ago to abandon it if opportunity presented.

Will Soon Leave Hospital.

F. J. Hoffman, general freight and ticket agent for the M. K. & T., who has been laid up at the company hospital in Sedalia over a month, will be able to return to his home in Parsons next week.

Mr. Hoffman suffered an accident and an injury on the Choctaw division of the M. K. & T., having his foot run over by the wheel of an inspection car.

The surgeons at the hospital found it necessary to amputate the foot, and this loss will be a great disadvantage to him.

Suspends Railroad Commissioner.

Governor Hoke Smith, of Georgia, yesterday issued an order, to take effect immediately, suspending from office Railroad Commissioner Joseph M. Brown and appointing in his place S. G. McLendon.

The order gives no reason for the suspension, but cites simply the section of the code which confers on the governor the authority to suspend a commissioner who fails to meet the demands of the office.

Missouri Pacific Conference.

A family conference of the passenger force of the Missouri Pacific and Iron Mountain systems is being held at the Southern hotel in St. Louis today, having been called by the new passenger traffic manager, Charles L. Stone, who has taken this method to get acquainted with his staff and to discuss matters of policy with them for the good of the service.

Threaten Strike in Texas.

Railroad telegraphers at Denison have declined to handle any more commercial messages, and threaten to start a railroad telegraphers' strike over Texas if the Western Union and railroad companies persist in loading them up with commercial work.

Hospital Arrivals.

Following are new arrivals at the Katy hospital:

M. B. Bibb, bridgeman, Lancaster, Texas.

C. E. Robinson, bridgeman, Shawnee, Okla.

R. F. Parum, bridgeman, Leonard, Texas.

R. B. Johnston, bridgeman, Pickton, Texas.

H. H. Konen, engine watchman, Parsons, Kan.

R. F. Tarleton, car repairer, Denison, Texas.

Alfred Shettleworth, sweeper, Parsons, Kan.

W. H. Long, engine wiper, Hillsboro, Texas.

Automatic Couplers.

W. H. Weikal, a Katy brakeman, is laying off.

F. D. Lister, a Missouri Pacific conductor, is laying off.

Pit Faust, a Missouri Pacific machinist, visited at Lamonte today.

Arthur Friemel left last night for St. Louis to resume work with the

civil engineering department of the Missouri Pacific.

George Dillard, employed at the Missouri Pacific store room, is laying off.

M. J. Thompson, a Missouri Pacific car repairer, is off from work with an injured hand.

The Katy shipped fifty cars of stock through here today, en route to St. Louis.

Henry Esser, a Katy fireman, is reported to be ill at his home in South Sedalia.

Col. A. C. Miner, traveling passenger agent for the Katy, went to Mexico, Mo., today.

Walter Merrifield, Missouri Pacific trainmaster, went west on the fast mail train this morning.

The work of moving the Katy depot from Franklin Junction to New Franklin was begun today.

The Lexington branch train, due here at 10:30 o'clock in the morning, arrived one hour late today.

J. C. Jones, truck repairer, had a foreign object removed from his left eye at the Katy hospital yesterday.

Tim Gallivan, Missouri Pacific engineer, returned to Kansas City this morning, after visiting his family here.

A. P. Morrison, division engineer for the Missouri Pacific, went to Jefferson City this morning on business.

C. H. Conkle, brakeman on Missouri Pacific trains Nos. 21 and 22, is on his run again, after a week's lay off.

Walter Kemp, of the secret service department of the Missouri Pacific, returned this afternoon from Ottumwa.

R. J. Sullivan, a Missouri Pacific conductor, is running on trains Nos. 161 and 64 for N. J. Crawford, who is laying off.

"Dick" Yost, the veteran Missouri Pacific clerk at the local headquarters, was a passenger to St. Louis last night.

C. C. Rogers, of the Katy commercial offices, left this morning for a business visit at points on the Hannibal division.

Albert Rankin, traveling auditor for the Katy, made a business trip to Pilot Grove today.

Riley Spillers, Missouri Pacific brakeman out of Jefferson City, returned there at noon today, after a visit with relatives here.

Will Thomas, a Missouri Pacific operator, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Thomas, recently removed here from Tipton, have moved from

322 West Pettis street to 817 West Third street.

It is said the San Francisco street car strike will be called off within the next four hours, pending arbitration of the points at issue.

Missouri Pacific train No. 1, due here at 2:25 p. m., was run in two sections today, the first carrying passengers and the second mail.

R. A. McDonald, electrician at the Missouri Pacific shops, has resigned and leaves tonight for Parsons to accept a better position with the Katy.

"Billy" Whiprecht, baggageman on the Missouri Pacific between St. Louis and Sedalia, and family, went to Harrisonville this morning to visit.

J. W. McClain, city passenger and ticket agent for the Missouri Pacific, and daughters, Vesta and Lucile, left last night for a brief visit in Indiana.

Missouri Pacific train No. 10 was run in two sections this morning, the second section being late L. & S. connections, arriving at 5:45 o'clock a. m.

C. F. Gehring, general foreman of the Katy's bridge and building department at Parsons, Kan., returned here today, after a business visit.

It is said a deadlock has been struck in the settlement of the B. of R. T. strike at Denver, in which George W. Anderson, of this city, is one of the arbitrators.

Clarence Alcorn, a Missouri Pacific fireman, who has been laying off for several days on account of a sprained ankle, is able to be around today, with the aid of a cane.

Charles Barnes, a switchman employed in the Katy yards at Denison, Texas, is in the company hospital here on account of a sprained ankle, received while at work Sunday night.

M. R. Anderson, a former Sedalia alderman, now of Fort Worth, Texas, and employed as general auditor for the "Frisco" in the Lone Star State, arrived here last night to visit his wife and children, who are spending the summer here with the families of Patrick Doherty and Richard Anderson.

Mike Sweeney, agent for the Katy at Beaman, has been assigned to a similar position at Clifton City, and Harry Pace, son of Engineer Sam Pace, of this city, succeeds him.

E. E. Long, a Katy machinist, who has been ill at the company hospital here for over a year, leaves the latter part of the week for an extended visit with home folks at Danville, Ill.

Katy train No. 2, due here at 8:25 a. m., arrived at 8:50 o'clock this morning, being late out of Parsons, while No. 3, due at 8:50 a. m., arrived fifteen minutes late, being delayed at Booneville.

Frank Amos, switch engineer for the Katy in the local yards, and family, leave the latter part of this week for a three weeks' visit with relatives in Pike county. In Mr. Amos' absence, Fred Wilder is doing the former's work.

Will Have Force of 5,000.

Paris, Aug. 22.—An official note issued today shows that Gen. Deude, commander of the French force in Morocco, will have at his disposal 5,000 men, which is considered a sufficient force to insure the protection of Casa Blanca.

Named as Guardian.

The appointment of G. R. Sheeley as guardian and curator of Lena C. Shelley, a minor, was made by Probate Judge Kennedy today.

Burial of Michael Abbott.

The funeral of Michael Abbott, who died yesterday, was held from 215 East Seventh street at 10 o'clock this morning and burial was made in the city cemetery.

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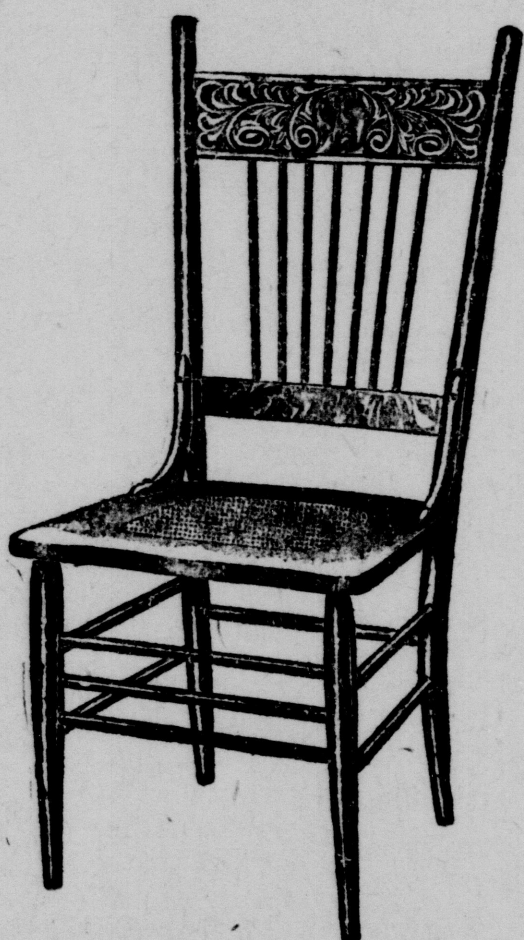
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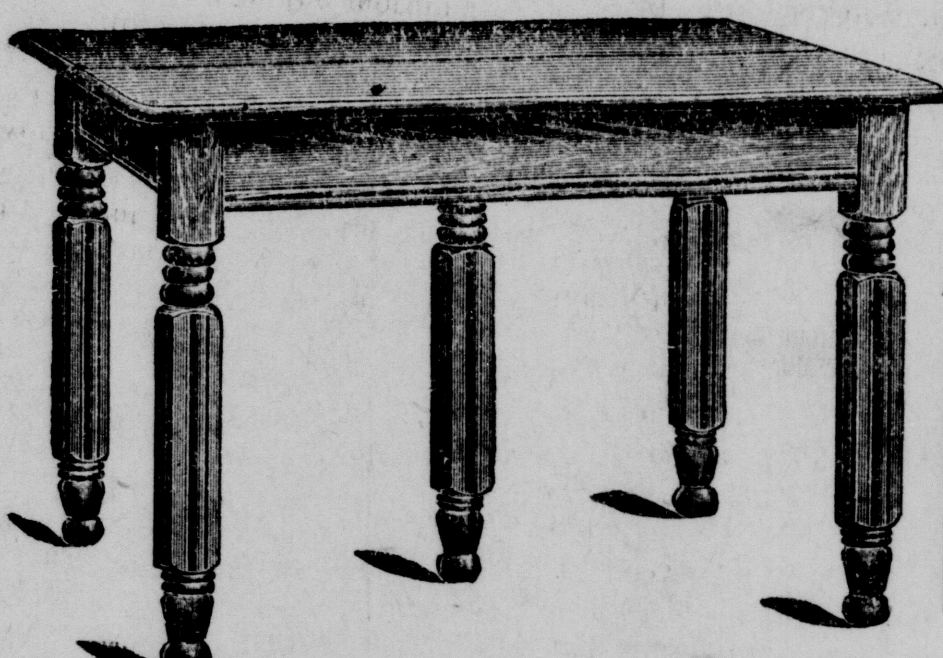
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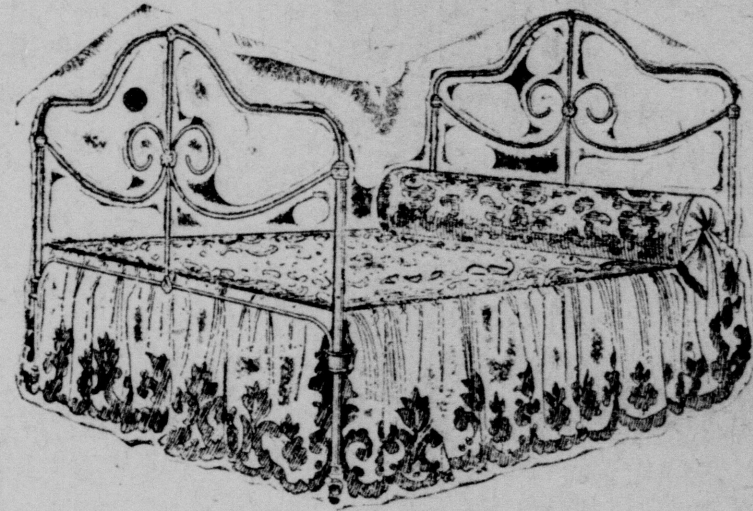
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On the same grounds, Sam Nelson, also a negro, through Attorneys Amos & England, sued his wife, Nancy Nelson, for divorce. They were married in Missouri on September 27, 1896, and lived together until September, 1901.

Will Add a New Line.

Elmer Beddeo, general manager of the different stores owned by Ridgeley & Co. throughout the country, who has been here on business, left this forenoon for St. Louis. Mr. Beddeo is arranging to enlarge the local store at 612 South Ohio avenue by adding a new line of goods, which will be done soon.

Were Tempted by Insurance Money.

New York, Aug. 22.—George T. Carnie and his sister, Marian, of Staten Island, are locked up at Port Richmond on the charge of having conspired to kill their brother-in-law, Frederick Hutz, for \$1,500 life insurance.

"Dick" Berry Resigns.

Dick Berry, a former Sedalia lawyer, has resigned as assistant cashier of the People's bank at Charleston, Mo., and has accepted a position as traveling salesman for the Burroughs Adding Machine Co.

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Photos of Drink Experts Are Posted in Saloons.

Fond du Lac, Wis., August 22.—As a result of Fond du Lac's unique "jag" ordinance, requiring that the portraits of habitual drunkards be posted in all saloons of the city, together with notices to saloonkeepers to sell them no liquor under penalty of losing their licenses, the galaxy of "booze" celebrities is increasing.

The common council ordered E. Asimont "posted," while Mat Dengel made the unusual request that his own photograph be placed on the list, on the ground that this was the only way he could get sobered up and return to a decent life. The only photograph to adorn the saloon gallery was that of Mat Fargo, a substantial property owner and taxpayer.

Birth of a Daughter.

Clifford Ahrens, of the tailoring firm of Ahrens & Reeves, and wife, of North Quincy street, are the parents of a baby girl, born Wednesday night, August 21. The newcomer tipped the scales at six pounds.

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